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## POLICY OF CONCESSIONS WISE IS OFFICIAL VIEW: CRAIGIE-ARITA PARLEYS DISCUSSED BY BARTLETT

### The Burma Road Closure

CHUNGKING BELIEVES JAPAN AT END OF HER TETHER:  
See Back Page, Columns 3 and 4.

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—MR. VERNON BARTLETT, writing in the News-Chronicle, dealing with the Craigie-Arita conversations, sets forth the following arguments in favour of concessions to Japan:—

Firstly, Britain is involved in war in the North Sea and the Mediterranean. It would be very dangerous if she is also involved in a war in the Pacific. It would not be to the advantage of China if, by assuming too many obligations, Britain suffered a defeat.

Secondly, the closing of the Burma Road will definitely be limited to a three-month order to see whether a general settlement can be negotiated.

Thirdly, the Germans are anxious to see the British caught up in a Far Eastern dispute, and that is the important reason why we should avoid one.

Fourthly, no settlement will be complete without China's consent thereto.

Mr. Bartlett continues that there is general agreement that the Japanese are still taking advantage of the trouble in Europe, but there is a difference of opinion as to whether the Japanese demands are likely to become more sweeping and more insistent, if they are answered by concessions.

The official view is that the policy of concessions is wise, remembering the fate of that policy when adopted to Germany, to Italy, or towards Japan herself in the past, are more sceptical.

The Chinese in no way share the view that the closing of the Burma highway would make an immediate difference to them.

American unofficial comment has been decidedly critical, but American materials, of great value in waging war, are still being dispatched to Japan and it remains true that Britain would fall in with any definite policy advocated by the State Department.

#### AMERICAN VIEW

Official American view appears to appreciate the British arguments. Mr. Bartlett was astonished that apparently no steps were taken to inform the Soviet of the British difficulties and deliberations in the Far East.

Mr. Bartlett points out that much of the material which passes the Burma Road is Russian.

The British Ambassador, Sir Stafford Cripps' mission to Moscow, and such actions as Mr. Churchill's recent discussions with M. Molotov, the Russian Ambassador, produced an improvement in Anglo-Russian relations which was clearly causing anxiety in Berlin.

But those who control British foreign policy have apparently not thought it worth while to take a step which would at least have been a welcome act of courtesy, and perhaps an important political gesture.

#### BRITISH SHIP SAFE

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—News received in London yesterday that the British merchant ship Guido, of 3,821 tons, arrived safely in Freetown, Sierra Leone. About a fortnight ago, it was reported that the Guido had been attacked by a U-boat in the Atlantic.

## 13 British Ships Sunk By Enemy

### NAZIS LOSE OVER 240,000 TONS

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—The Admiralty announce that during the week ending midnight July 7, 23 British, Allied and neutral ships were lost, with a total tonnage of 114,000 tons, of which 13 were British, three Allied, and six neutral.

With more violent and more frequent air attacks, and greater submarine activity, the losses are considerably greater than the previous week.

It is pointed out that losses in shipping come in waves and depend mainly upon the number of submarines operating and the intensity and frequency of air attacks.

With Germany occupying the French coast such attacks are likely to increase.

British Wireless states the losses are above the average for the past 44 weeks but about one-half of the highest total reached in any one week during the present war.

Measured in terms of tonnage nearly 100,000,000 gross tons of shipping have been escorted by E. M. ships since the war began representing a cargo carrying capacity of approximately 150,000,000.

The tonnage of the 17 ships lost is about one-quarter per cent. of the gross tonnage conveyed.

German mercantile losses up to July 15 amount to approximately 244,000 tons.

## New Zealand War Cabinet

WELLINGTON, July 16 (Reuter)—The War Cabinet formed in New Zealand, includes two members of the Opposition.

The Cabinet include Mr. E. Fraser, the Prime Minister, Mr. W. Nash, Finance Minister, Mr. F. Jones, Minister of Defence and the "Post Master General, Mr. Adam Hamilton, Leader of the Opposition, and Mr. J. E. Coates, the former Prime Minister.

## Eden Assures Commons Defence Schemes Have All Protective Measures That Are Practicable

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons, during question time, Mr. Anthony Eden, the War Secretary, said it was very undesirable to make a public statement about the details of the defence schemes, but he assured the House that plans included all protective measures that were practicable and made the best use of the country's resources.

Local defence volunteers were encouraged to use their own initiative and military knowledge, but independent construction of the defence works, except in conformity with the general plan, could do more harm than good.

In some cases private individuals had erected defence works without consulting the military authorities, and many of them had to be dismantled as they were ill-sited.

A member suggested that 1,000 German cyclists were riding over the country, local defence volunteers would not have time to consult the military authorities.

Mr. Eden: I don't share his apprehension for the 1,000 German cyclists or of a much smaller number.

Mr. Eden was also questioned about aliens aboard the ill-fated Arandora Star.



Shooting up a minefield. Marksmen aboard a British vessel put paid to the career of some floating German mines.

## JAPANESE CABINET RESIGNS: SERVICES DECIDE TO FAVOUR "NEW POLITICAL STRUCTURE" ADVOCATED BY PRINCE KONOYE

### Yonai Government Has Struck A Snag

TOKYO, July 16 (Reuter)—THE JAPANESE CABINET, under Admiral Mitsumasa Yonai, which took office on January 14 this year in succession to the Cabinet led by General Nobuyuki Abe, has decided to resign.

It is learned that when the War Minister, Gen. Shiroku Hata, called on the Prime Minister, before the Cabinet resigned, he told Admiral Yonai that the Army and Navy had decided to favour the movement for a "new political structure."

Events leading to the resignation of the Yonai Government are described by the Domei Agency which states:

"Following a conference between three important Army chiefs—Chief of the General Staff, Superintendent-General of Military Education and the War Minister—the War Minister paid a visit to the Prime Minister."

He was reportedly to have told the Premier that the Cabinet's co-operation in the formation of a new political structure was "rather different" and tendered his resignation.

#### INTENDED TO REMAIN

The Agency continues that Admiral Yonai had intended to remain in office and invited the War Minister to name his successor, but the Minister and the Army chiefs have decided not to recommend his successor. Consequently, the Premier decided to resign.

The Yonai Government has struck a snag in forming the new national political structure, which was advocated by Prince Konoze and others, who envisaged it as a means of pulling Japan successfully through her period of emergency.

## ANOTHER RAID ON TOBRUK

### BOMBS BURST IN TARGET AREA

CAIRO, July 16 (Reuter)—An R.A.F. communiqué states: "Another successful raid was carried out on Tobruk. Many bombs burst in the target area, two large naval oil tanks suffering direct hits. The second explosion was much bigger than the first. Five enemy bombers were destroyed by fighters of the British Fleet in the Mediterranean on July 9, according to a naval communiqué, relating to the action against the Italian Fleet off Calabria. At least 15 others were shot down by A.A. guns."

## CHUNGKING AWAITS BRITISH REPLY

CHUNGKING, July 17 (Central)—THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IS AWAITING A REPLY to the strong protest it sent to London regarding the closure of the Burma Road. It is learned here.

In the meantime, Press comments in the war-time capital continue to be severely critical of the British attitude, both the official Central Daily News and the influential Ta Kung Pao devoting new leading articles to the question.

## U.S. Informed Of Chinese Protest

WASHINGTON, July 16 (Reuter)—The State Department has been informed of the strong Chinese protest to Britain against the closing of Burma Road for three months if Japan would agree to use this time to seek peace with China.

The United States are keeping officially aloof from the situation, but the motivating troubles of Britain has aroused sympathetic interests here. Britain is understood, however, to be keeping the United States closely informed of her actions and criticism is absent in official quarters.

There is no indication that the United States Government is ready to alter its own policy as a concession to the peace efforts. Yet there is an apparent disposition, sympathetic while Britain is far from being defeated in Europe, her action should smack of defeatism in the Far East.

#### NO COMMENT

Mr. Cordell Hull and other officials decline to comment, but one important condition of any peace negotiations in the view of the United States Government, is said to be Japan's respect for the political independence and freedom of China. At the same time, while Japan is believed to be anxious to end the war, it is thought that she would hardly do so without obtaining a special position in China.

## Big Reserve Stocks Of Coal

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—The Secretary for Mines, Mr. D. Grenfell, told the annual conference of the Mineworkers' Federation that great reserve stocks of coal are being built up in this country.

"I hope to see 20,000,000 tons stacked before the winter," he said. The stocks would be as near as possible to the main points of consumption, and large quantities are being transferred from Durham to London.

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## HONOLULU CLIPPER FULLY BOOKED FOR RETURN TRIP

### Seven Passengers Arrive—Thirty-Seven Leave

THIRTY-SEVEN PASSENGERS were booked to leave by Pan American Airways 42-ton HONOLULU CLIPPER (Capt. W. J. Barrows) when she takes off from Kai Tak this morning for Manila en route to San Francisco.

The Honolulu Clipper, which arrived from Manila yesterday afternoon with U. S. Mails dated July 9, brought seven passengers for Hongkong. They were:

MR. ARTHUR LAMBERT, export merchant of Ontario, Canada, who is en route for New Zealand via Hongkong. Mr. Lambert plans to return direct to the United States by Air by the U. S. New Zealand service;

MR. EMBERT S. HOGAN, Singapore representative for the San Francisco firm of Connell Bros., returning to the Colony after a month visit to the States. Mr. Hogan is accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Kathleen Hogan;

MR. ROBERT H. SCOTT, British Government official in Hongkong, returning to the Colony after a visit to London;

MR. CHARLES VAN SICKLE, of the International Harvester Co., returning to Hongkong after a business trip to Manila;

MR. W. L. BOND, Operation manager of C. N. A. C. in Hongkong, returning after a business visit to Manila;

MR. L. J. COOTE, general manager, L. R. Nielsen and Co., import and export brokers, making a quick business call at Manila; and

MR. GEORGE SCHOLEY, engineer, also connected with the firm of L. R. Nielsen and Co. Ltd., on a business call at Hongkong.

#### 37 DEPARTURES

THE HONOLULU CLIPPER was due to leave Kai Tak this morning with the following 37 passengers—29 of whom are booked for Manila:

FOR SAN FRANCISCO: MR. ARTHUR A. ROBINSON, official of Standard Oil Co., proceeding on home leave; and MR. FUNG FING-KAN, Chinese student, en route to Boston, where he intends continuing his studies in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

FOR HONOLULU: MISS FUNG FUNG HAAN, Chinese student, who is accompanying her brother, Mr. Fung Fing-kan, as far as Honolulu, from where she will take steamer to San Francisco. From San Francisco, Miss Fung will fly by United Airlines to Brooklyn, New York; Mr. RALPH HENRY Watt Lowry, New Zealand farmer, en route to London; MR. JOHN D. LAWRENCE, American salesman returning after a business trip to the Far East and making an air-sea trip back to the States; MRS. HIN CHEUNG-CHAN, Chinese tourist, making a flying trip to Honolulu on a visit to relatives, accompanied by her seven-year-old daughter, MISS JANICE CHAN.

FOR MANILA: MRS. TERESA WHITNEY, Manila resident returning after a prolonged visit to the colony, accompanied by her daughter, MRS. L. WHITNEY, MRS. GEORGIE TYSON, wife of Mr. F. H. Tyson, operation manager of the Standard Vacuum Oil Co., on a pleasure trip to Manila; MR. TOMAS KING-TAIQUAN, Manila accountant, returning home after a business trip to the Colony;

MRS. M. CRAMER, wife of an official of the National City Bank of New York, on a vacation trip to Manila, accompanied by her infant daughter, Miss Anne Cramer.

MR. WALLACE HARPER, manager of Wallace Harper and Co., Hongkong, making an urgent business trip to Manila; MR. COLIN C. BLACK, shipping manager, Furness (Far East) Ltd., on a business trip to Manila; DR. GORDON KING physician from Tainan, Shantung, on a vacation trip to the Philippines; MR. R. S. KARAMOHAND, Indian merchant on a business trip to Manila; MRS. JEANETTE S. ADAIR, American tourist; MR. T. E. NEWLIN, assistant passenger agent of the American President Lines, Hongkong, on a pleasure trip to Manila, accompanied by his colleague, MR. HERBERT M. ROWLAND, also of the President Lines; MISS TO KIM-HUA, Chinese Clipper commuter; MR. ROBERT C. DINNIE, British official of a

business trip to Manila; MR. LEONARD J. COOTE, of L. R. Nielsen and Co., returning after an overnight stay in the Colony; and the following Chinese Clipper commuters.

Messrs. Yee Kee Liu, Ng Kham, Chong Hin, Kong Pak-cheung, Le Duck, Sim Yoe-fa, Chua Chlan To An, Lai See, Co Pak, Pedro Wong, Tan Niu, Mow Sum-kong and Kan Hap.

#### CALIFORNIA CLIPPER

Pan American Airways next inward Clipper—The California Clipper—is due to arrive in Hongkong on Tuesday next, July 23.

#### IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

Imperial Airways outward plane, taking the Hongkong mails was scheduled to leave Kai Tak this morning.

The next outward plane taking mails to Durban and thence by sea to the United Kingdom is due to leave Kai Tak on Sunday morning.

Imperial Airways next inward plane is expected to arrive in Hongkong tomorrow.

## Long Island Yachting Begins

Rye, N. Y.—In an easterly wind, with fog and a jumpy sea, the Summer season of the Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound opened with a regatta at the American Yacht Club.

Among the craft in the van after wet going through the murk were Harold S. Vanderbilt's 12-metre Vim, which cleaned up in English waters last year, and Walter Rothschild's yawl Avanti. Vim had more than a three-minute margin over her rivals after 21½ miles, which was more than enough to soak all on board, while Avanti won by a handicap margin of only 10 seconds over Le Coursey Pales's schooner Nina, which finished ahead of her.

The fleet was cut down to forty-six starters by the weather, small craft holding snug in harbours. Off first were the 12-metres. Along with Vim were F. T. Bedford's Nyala, last Summer's Sound champion, and the Northern Light, now owned by Van S. Merie-Smith. She took the Sound title in 1938, the year she was built. Nyala had her new metal mast with bar rigging like Vim's.

#### VIM FIRST

Vanderbilt drove Vim first over the line, with Northern Light astern of her and on Nyala's weather. Vim and Northern Light went windbucking, while Nyala tacked inshore, eventually getting the first of the ebb tide to set her on a long weather leg over to Lloyd Neck, east of Oyster Bay. The second mark was at Great Captain Island, off Greenwich.

Nyala finally turned and went over on a long port tack with the others. There the wind hauled a bit to her disadvantage, and as it did so the fog thickened. Close by the shore was blotted out.

Whether it was fog or the opening of the season, there was confusion in several classes and numerous cases of sailing wrong courses, making the day's work add up to naught.

Stanley Ogilvy crossed the finish line in his star boat Spirit and hailed the fact that he had gone wrong. The Star winner was the alert Arthur Knapp with his Corliss, who asked for a race circular of the courses just before his start.

In the International Class, Bud Moxham, with his Maid of Honour, defeated the Feather, sailed by Bill Cox. Bill Corwin sailed a fine race with his Atlantic Rose. Other winners were L. M. Rake's straw Victory Class sloop Jimmie, Bill Crow's Coastwise single-sticker Barbara, James Hetty's Interclub Spindrift and Walter Voelbel's Class B craft Elaine.

## NEWSETTES

Mrs. W. D. Borstein, wife of Dr. Borstein, of Shanghai, left the Colony yesterday for the North.

It is learned that a proposal to increase the Hongkong Police Reserve to 1,000 officers and men is under discussion.

Mr. L. Wasem, Jr., district sales manager, Standard Vacuum Oil Co., Penang, left Hongkong yesterday for the South.

Mr. J. Agtarap, of White, Page & Co., Manila, passed through the Colony yesterday on his way to Manila.

Mr. C. Roesholm, managing director, Texas Co., Inc., Manila, passed through the Colony yesterday on his way to the South.

Mr. J. Fistere, Jr., of the National Aniline & Chemical Co., Shanghai, arrived in the Colony yesterday.

Arrangements have been made by the authorities to secure ships to transport the 3,000 Hongkong women and children evacuees from Manila to Australia.

The monthly meeting of the Council of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong, was held at the Vicarage yesterday evening. The Rev. D. Rosenthal presided.

Mr. G. Garcia, second vice-president "La Urbana" Building & Loan Assn., Manila, passed through the Colony yesterday from the North.

Mr. James S. St. Heaps, a well-known merchant of Australia, arrived in Hongkong yesterday from Japan, accompanied by Mrs. St. Heaps.

A High Requiem Mass for deceased members of the confraternity for the Relief of Holy Souls will be held at the Catholic Cathedral today in Caine Road.

The annual general meeting of the Hongkong Rifle Association will be held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday next, July 23.

Mrs. O. P. Remedios, wife of Mr. O. P. Remedios, of the China Light & Power Co., Ltd., left Hongkong for the North yesterday, accompanied by her family.

The annual general meeting of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held in the office of the Registrar, Supreme Court, on Tuesday, July 23, at 5 p.m.

Efforts to improve human agriculture and forestry are being made. A centre of agriculture and forestry will be established in every hsi in the province to give technical guidance in this regard.

While swimming at 14½ mile beach at Kowloon, Mr. T. L. Lockhart, of the Colonial Secretary's Office, was bitten by a water snake on Sunday. Mr. Lockhart was taken to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

A memorial service to the late Emperor of All Russia, Nicholas II, Empress Alexandra and their family, on the 22nd anniversary of their assassination, will be held by the local Russian community at the Russian Orthodox Church today at 7 p.m.

The Director of Medical Services inform us that the number of refugees and destitutes in the Government Camps for the week ended, July 13, 1940 were 10,783 as against 10,704 for the previous week. Included in this total are 718 soldiers in the Argyle Street Camp and seven in hospital.

The Szechuen provincial authorities anticipate another good harvest this year as a result of heavy rainfall in western Szechuen for the past few days. For a long time this area suffered from a severe drought and it was not until June 30 that the farmers and provincial authorities were heartened by heavy rainfall which has continued intermittently for the past few days.

#### LAWN BOWLS

In the only Open Pairs lawn bowls game yesterday V. Chittenden and W. V. Field beat C. M. Silva and F. X. Soares by 20 shots to 12 on the Kowloon C. O. green.

## Hongkong Thanked

The Colonial Secretary has forwarded us the following letter, dated June 15, from the Colonial Office, Downing Street, London—

Sir—I have the honour to inform you that your telegram No. 321 of June 10 has been laid before His Majesty the King who desires that an expression of his sincere thanks for the message contained therein may be conveyed to you.

I have the honour to be Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

(Signed) LLOYD.

The Officer Administering the Government of Hongkong.

## WIN FOR GULL

The result of the 2nd Summer Series race yesterday resulted as follows:—

"A" CLASS—STARTED AT 14.40

Yacht	Finished	Cor.	Pts.
Gull	18.44.58	18.44.58	9
Joss	18.47.32	18.47.32	7
(Capt. G. E. Neve)			
Mureen	18.47.50	18.47.50	5
(C. C. Blake)			
Artemis	18.49.27	18.49.27	3
(G. G. Wood)			
True Blue	18.52.06	18.52.06	2
(F. C. Manning)			

MIXED CLASSES—STARTED AT 15.50

Ailsa	18.59.37	18.59.37	6
(Capt. W. A. Ingram)			
Widgeon	DNF	DNF	1

## TENNIS LEAGUE "B" DIVISION

### SOUTH CHINA BEAT INDIAN R.C.

Only two matches were played in the "B" Division of the Tennis League yesterday, the C.R.C. v. Recoelo game, which was to have been played at Causeway Bay, was postponed.

At Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. lost to South China A. A. by eight sets to one.

O. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.) lost to S. C. Dew and K. H. Ip 3-6; lost to W. T. Lee and W. C. Ho 3-6; lost to B. Szeto and W. A. Ho 3-6.

M. O. Hoosen and A. R. Kitchell (I.R.C.) beat Dew and Ip 6-4; lost to Lee and Ho 2-6; lost to Szeto and Ho 3-6.

D. M. A. Razack and A. Rahmin (I.R.C.) lost to Dew and Ip 0-6; lost to Lee and Ho 3-6; lost to Szeto and Ho 1-6.

#### C.S.C.C. LOSE

Civil Service C.C., who were originally down to play the Army T.C., entertained Kowloon Tong G. C. A. instead and lost by nine sets to nil.

L. and B. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.) lost to H. Lim and T. E. Ling 3-6; lost to Lam Kwan and P. Kwok 2-6; lost to B. Yu and P. Fletcher 1-6.

W. J. Skinner and J. A. Bendall (C.S.C.C.) lost to Lim and Ling 5-7; lost to Kwan and Kwok 2-6; lost to Yu and Fletcher 1-6.

C. Lucas and W. Colledge (C.S.C.C.) lost to Lim and Ling 0-6; lost to Kwan and Kwok 1-6; lost to Yu and Fletcher 0-6.

#### H.K.C.C. WITHDRAW

It is learned that the Hongkong

## SPORTING FIXTURES

#### TODAY

BOWLS—Colony Open Pairs Championship: "At C.S.C.C., A. R. Minu and A. K. Minu v. U. M. Omar and A. M. Omar; R. P. Phillips and J. E. Henson v. W. Harris and W. Davies; R. Bass and J. S. Landolt v. J. E. Moronha and C. G. Silva; At P.R.C. W. Melrose and J. C. Chalmers v. J. N. Sweeney and J. Revie; E. A. Atkins and H. White v. J. Gellatly and L. A. Collyar.

TENNIS—C Division, Kowloon Tong v. Army; K.I.T.C. v. Recoelo "A"; K.C.C. v. G.R.C.; J. R.C. v. C.B.A.; Recoelo "B" v. University; South China v. H.K.P.S.A.

#### TOMORROW

TENNIS—D Division, Filipino Club v. South China; C.C.C. v. K.C.C.; C.R.C. "B" v. I.R.C.

Cricket Club has withdrawn from the "B" Division owing to difficulty in raising a team.

## NEW FIXTURES

The following are the revised league fixtures for the B. Division of the Tennis League:—

All matches of June 4 postponed to July 23; June 25 to July 30, July 2 to Aug. 6, July 9 to Aug. 13, May 21 to Aug. 20, June 11 to Aug. 24.

Any of these matches may be played on other dates than above by mutual arrangement between the clubs concerned.

## U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

NEW YORK, July 16 (Reuter)—Brooklyn Dodgers and the Pittsburgh Pirates split even in the only double header in the programme yesterday. Dodgers won the opener 10-1, but lost the nightcap 3-4.

Scores were:—

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	10	17	1
Pittsburgh	1	10	1
Brooklyn	3	10	1
Pittsburgh	4	12	1
New York	3	15	1
Chicago	5	7	2
Philadelphia	2	5	0
Cincinnati	3	10	1

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago	3	7	0
New York	2	9	0
St. Louis	6	10	1
Boston	10	15	1
Cleveland	6	7	1
Washington	8	11	1
Detroit	9	10	1
Philadelphia	8	12	2

## H.K.R.A. MEETING

In announcing that their annual general meeting will be held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel on Tuesday, July 23, at 5.30 p.m., the Hongkong Rifle Association adds that the shoots arranged for July 21, and August 18, have been cancelled.

The report and statement of accounts show that the Association has a cash balance of \$47,722, with the membership list standing at 423, a decrease of 109, while the number of affiliated clubs stood at 12.

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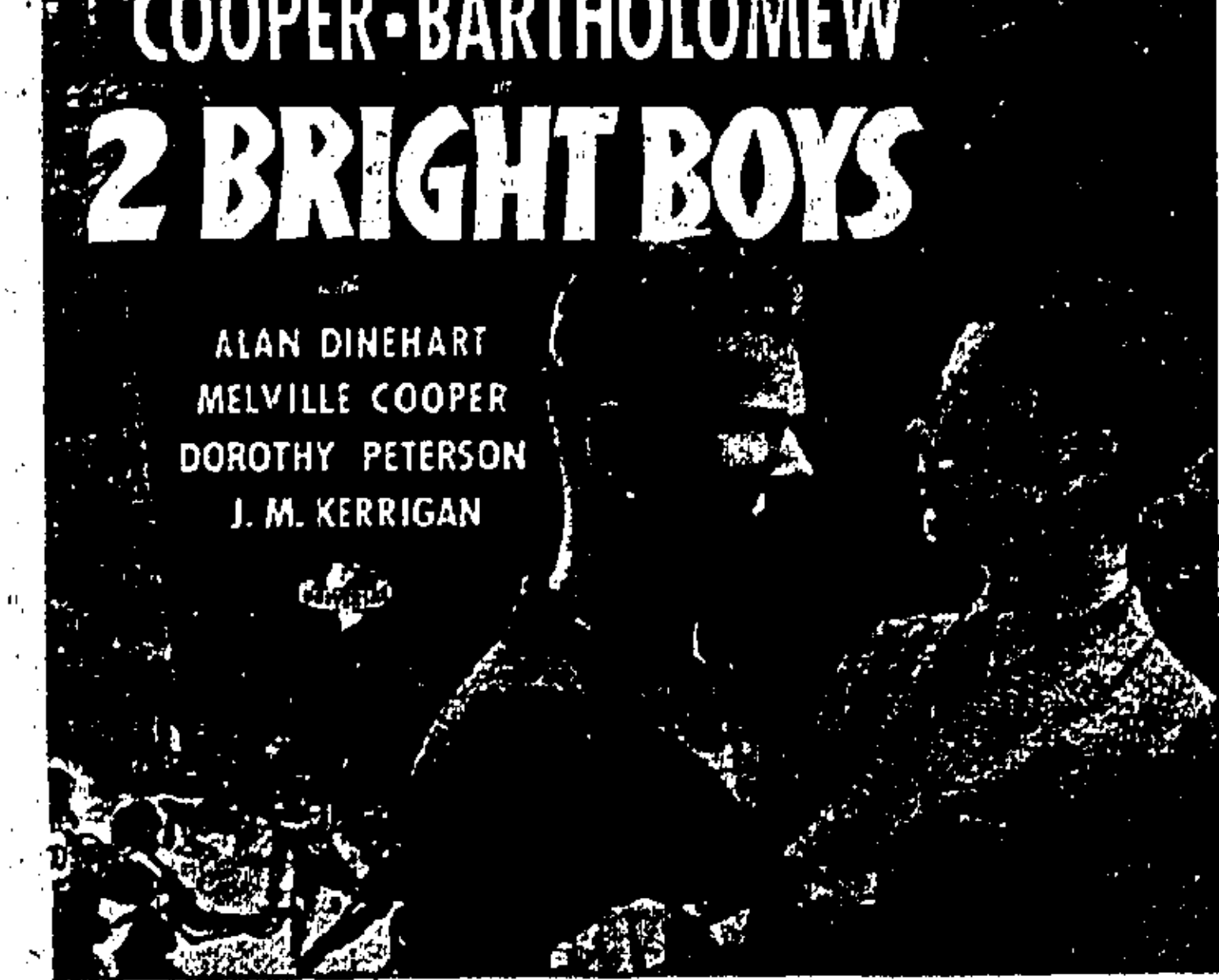
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AT THE KING'S

Picture a man with no family, no friends, no personal connections whatsoever; with no money, no position and no past. Picture such a man, if you can, confessing to a startled court about to try an innocent man for murder that he committed the crime. Finally, imagine this man, who even gets his name from a calendar and calls himself Joe Monday, on trial for his life and refusing to reveal why he committed the crime or speak in his own defence. Such is the theme of 20th Century-Fox's drama opening today at the King's Theatre, "The Man Who Wouldn't Talk," featuring Lloyd Nolan (in the title role).

MATRICULATION EXAM.

The results in Russian for Shanghai candidates have now come to hand, and the following candidate has passed:—  
No. 442 Kaner, Nathan S. Distinction in English, (b, c, d, e) Mathematics and History.  
In addition, two local candidates whose names did not appear in the original list published on July 4, have passed, namely No. 121 Kom, Choi Kuen, St. Stephen's College (a); No. 350 Rodrigues, Alina J. Sacred Heart College Macao (b, e). Distinction in English.

Joan Rogers, Richard Clarke, Onslow Stevens and Eric Blone.

## COMING EVENTS

JULY

17-Tides: High 7.22 a.m. and 9.23 p.m. Low 12.24 a.m. and 2.39 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.43 a.m.; Sunset: 7.19 p.m.  
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.P.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.-12.30 p.m.  
Cheero Club: Dance, 8.30 p.m.  
Kowloon Hospital: Lecture on Home Nursing, 5.30 p.m.  
Kowloon Union Church Club Meeting, 8 p.m.  
Helena May Inst: Volunteer Nursing Detachment Examination on Home Nursing, 4.30 p.m.  
Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall, 10 a.m.  
Catholic Cathedral: High Requiem Mass for deceased members of the Confraternity for the Relief of Holy Souls.  
Garrison Sergts' Mess: Whist Drive, 9 p.m.  
Memorial Service at Russian Orthodox Church, 7 p.m.

18-Tides: High 6.10 a.m. and 10.09 p.m. Low 1.14 a.m. and 3.19 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.49 a.m.; Sunset: 7.10 p.m.  
Chinese Estates, Ltd. Interim Dividend payable.  
H.K. Y's Men's Club Weekly Meeting.  
Cheero Club, Bridge & Mahjong.  
Diocesan Girls' School: Lecture on First Aid, 8 p.m.  
Victoria Chess Club, Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.  
Kowloon Chess Club, Peninsula Hotel, 5.30 p.m.  
Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.  
Cricketpower C.C.: Weekly Whist Drive, 9 p.m.

19-Tides: High 5.55 a.m. and 10.46 p.m. Low 2 a.m. and 3.23 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.49 a.m.; Sunset: 7.10 p.m.  
Claims against estate of Walter Graham Reynolds due.  
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.P.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.-12.30 p.m.  
Cheero Club, Darts & Table Tennis, 20-Tides: High 5.58 a.m. and 11.20 p.m. Low 2.45 a.m. and 4.28 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.50 a.m.; Sunset: 7.09 p.m.  
Claims against estate of John Ferguson due.  
Rosary Church, Wedding: Dos Remedios-Tavara, 4 p.m.

21-Tides: High 10.14 a.m. and 11.54 p.m. Low 3.29 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.50 a.m.; Sunset: 7.09 p.m.  
22-Tides: High 10.48 a.m. and 12.11 p.m. Low 3.53 a.m. and 5.23 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.59 a.m.; Sunset: 7.08 p.m.  
23-Tides: High 12.25 a.m. and 11.15 a.m. Low 4.53 a.m. and 6.05 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.51 a.m.; Sunset: 7.08 p.m.  
H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m. - Speaker - Rev. J. L. Wilson on "The Smith of Smiths".  
H.K.R.A. Annual Meeting, H.K. Hotel, 5.30 p.m.

24-Tides: High 12.56 a.m. and 11.40 a.m. Low 5.35 a.m. and 6.38 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.51 a.m.; Sunset: 7.07 p.m.  
25-Tides: High 12.5 a.m. and 12.05 p.m. Low 6.22 a.m. and 7.10 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.51 a.m.; Sunset: 7.07 p.m.  
Annual General Meeting of H.K. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Supreme Court Registry, 5 p.m.  
26-Tides: High 1.55 a.m. and 12.35 p.m. Low 7.22 a.m. and 7.41 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.52 a.m.; Sunset: 7.06 p.m.  
E.A.O.C. Monthly Dinner, Speaker: Mr. O. P. Hamilton on "China Clippings".

27-Tides: High 2.25 a.m. and 1.20 p.m. Low 8.39 a.m. and 8.11 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.52 a.m.; Sunset: 7.06 p.m.  
28-Tides: High 3.04 a.m. and 2.31 p.m. Low 9.28 a.m. and 8.36 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.53 a.m.; Sunset: 7.05 p.m.  
29-Tides: High 3.50 a.m. and 4.35 p.m. Low 10.15 a.m. and 9.17 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.53 a.m.; Sunset: 7.05 p.m.  
30-Tides: High 4.40 a.m. and 5.36 p.m. Low 10.46 p.m. and 10.25 p.m.  
Sunrise: 5.53 a.m.; Sunset: 7.04 p.m.  
31-Tides: High 5.31 a.m. and 6.29 p.m. Low 11.32 p.m. and 11.46 a.m.  
Sunrise: 5.54 a.m.; Sunset: 7.04 p.m.

## MUST RETURN TO SHANGHAI

A young woman who came to Japan with her lover, the assistant manager of a certain concern in Fukai-ku, will not be allowed to stay in Japan longer than 30 days and will be sent back to Shanghai shortly.

The woman, daughter of a physician in the international settlement in Shanghai, was assisting her father until she met the man, who was there on a business trip recently.

They fell in love and came to Japan together on the 18th, but as the man is already married to a woman in his native land, they will not be recognized as a married couple in Japan and consequently, she will not be able to stay here. On the 17th, she came to Kobe from Nagasaki and appealed to the Sanmomiya Foreign Section, but according to the law, they are unable to do anything and she will be deported when her 30 days expires.

## Radio Programmes

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### FIFTH TALK ON "POETS"

BY FATHER RYAN

Schubert Symphony

12.15 p.m. Short Service of Intercession.

12.30 Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan.

"The Mikado": Alone and Yet Alive

Bertha Lewis. On A Tree-Henry

A. Lytton. There Is Beauty-Bertha

Lewis and Henry A. Lytton. For He's

Gone and Married Yum-Yum-Aileen

Davies, Henry A. Lytton, Derek Old-

ham, Elsa Griffin, Bertie Elburn,

Leo Sheffield, George Baker and

Chorus. "Patience": Prithvi, Pretty

Maiden-Winifred Lawson and Leslie

Rands with Orchestra. Let The

Merry Cymbals Sound - Derek Old-

ham, Darrel Panscourt, M. Green and

George Baker with Chorus of Girls

and Dragons. "The Women of the

Guard": Comes The Pretty Young

Bride-Full Company. Leonard, M.

Loved One-Winifred Lawson, Derek

Oldham, George Baker and Chorus.

"The Gondoliers": Then Away they

go to an Island Pair-Derek Oldham,

Winifred Lawson, Aileen Davies,

George Baker and Chorus.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Billy Mayer at the Piano.

Song of the Fir Tree (Mayer).

Phil The Pluter's Ball (French-arr.

Mayer), Parade of the Sandwich-

Board Men (Mayer).

1.15 Film Selections.

"Goldwyn Pollies"-Film Selection

(Gerahwin)-Louis Levy and His Or-

chestra with Vocal by Garry Pitt,

gerald and Eve Becker. "The Lady

Objects"-A Mist Is Over-The Moon

(Hammerstein). "Honolulu"-This

Night (Kahn) - Leslie Hutchinson

(Vocal) at the Piano. "This'll Make

You Whistle"-Selection-Louis Levy

and His Gaumont British Symphony

with Vocal Refrain.

1.30 Reuter and Ragby Press, Weather

Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Dance Music.

Fox-Trots - Little Drummer Boy;

Once In A While-Jay Wilbur & His

Orchestra. Quickstep - You Must Have

Been A Beautiful Baby (film "Hard

To Get"). Tango - Romany - Jack

Harris and His Orchestra. Fox-Trots

-The Dipsy Doodle; Jubilee (film

"Every Day's a Holiday")-Nat Gonel-

la and His Georgians. Slow Fox-Trot

-Tears in My Heart; Quickstep

-Why Talk About Love (film "The Joy

Parade")-Heavy Jacques & His Cor-

rect Dance Tempo Orchestra.

2.15 Close down.

6.00 Schubert-Symphony No. 7 in

C Major.

The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra

conducted by Sir Adrian Boult.

6.48 Closing Local Stock Quota-

tions.

6.50 Two Songs by Miliza Korjus

(Soprano).

La Villanelle (Deil' Acqua; Thou-

sand and One Night's Waltz (Strauss).

7.00 Marek Weber and His Orches-

tra.

"Countess Maritza"-Selection. (Kal-

mar). "The Flower of Hawaii" -

Selection. (Kublan). "Selma" -

Selection. (Sidney Jones). Dreams On

The Ocean-Waltz (Gung).

7.30 London Relay-The News.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather

Report and Announcements.

8.03 Compositions of Elgar.

Woodland Interlude (from "Carac-

tacus" Op. 35); Dream Children, Op.

43, No. 1-London Symphony Orches-

tra cond. by Lawrence Collingwood.

La Capricieuse, Op. 17 - Bronislav

Huberman (Violin) with Piano. It's

Oh! To Be A Wild Wind; Feasting,

I Watch-The Westminster Singers.

Unaccompanied. Prossart Overture,

Op. 19 (When Chivalry lifted up her

horns on high)-Keats-London Phil-

harmonic Orchestra cond. by Sir Ed-

ward Elgar.

8.30 Studio-"Poets" No. 5: Keats.

Talk by Father Ryan, S.J.

8.50 Songs by Stuart Robertson

(Bass-Baritone).

Wildcombe Fair (arr. Jacob) -

with Male Chorus and Band. The

Road To The Isles (Songs of the

Hebrides) - Kennedy Fraser; Skye

Boat Song (Trad.)-with Piano ac-

comp.

### 5.00 London Relay-The News.

5.30 London Relay - "Matters of

Moment."

5.45 The Regimental Band of H.M.

Grantsider Guards.

Nautical Moments (arr. Winter and

Dutholt). The Voice of the Bells

(Luigini, arr. Miller); Tarentelle De

Concert (Greenwood, arr. Godfrey).

10.00 An hour of Dance Music.

Fox-Trots - Some Day My Prince

Will Come (Snow White and the

Seven Dwarfs); Whistle While You

Work (Snow White and the Seven

Dwarfs)-The Orchestra of Merry

Men. Waltzes-My First Love Song

(film "Queen of Hearts"); Would You

(film "San Francisco")-Boy Fox and

His Orchestra. Fox-Trots-When My

Heart Says Sing; You've Gotta Take

Your Pick and Swing (both from

Let's make a night of it)-Ronnie

Munro and His Orchestra. Quickstep

Trusting My Luck (film "Sailing

along"); Slow Fox-Trot - Why Talk

About Love? (film "The Joy Parade")

-Victor Silvester and His Ballroom

Orch. Fox-Trots-Meet Me Down in

Sunset Valley; Sunday In The Park-

Mantovani and His Orchestra. Tan-

gos-Viejos Tiempos; Condens - Or-

questa Tipica Francisco Canaro. Fox-

Trots - Hawaiian Hospitality (film

"Rhythm in the Cloud"); Little Heaven

of the Seven Seas-Ronnie Munro &

His Orchestra. Comedy Waltz-The

Girl In The Hansom Cab; Comedy

Fox-Trot-I'm A Little Prairie Flower

-Jack Harris and His Orchestra.

Swing - Fox-Trots - Shim-Me-Sha-

Wabble: Some Sweet Day - Miff

Mole's Molers. Slow Fox-Trot-I Fall

In Love With You Every Day (film

"Swing Teacher Swing") - Victor

Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra.

11.00 Close down.

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NEWS IN ENGLISH

Transmission I-News Sum-

mmary ..... 4.00 p.m.

Full Bulletin ..... 5.00 p.m.

Trans. II & III-News Sum-

mmary ..... 8.45 p.m.

Full Bulletin ..... 7.30 p.m.

do ..... 9.15 p.m.

do ..... 12.00 mid-

night

Transmission V-News Sum-

mmary ..... 7.30 a.m.

Full Bulletin ..... 8.30 a.m.

### Dispute Over A Lighter

An action seeking two declara-

tions in connection with the part-

nership and ownership of a

lighter was brought before his

Honour the Chief Justice, Sir

Atholl MacGregor, at the Sum-

mmary Court yesterday.

The action was brought by

Yim Kwan-yun, who was re-

presented by Mr. D. J. N. Anderson,

Instructed by Mr. B. C. Hobbs.



## Confidence In Their Cause

WELLINGTON, July 16 (Reuter).—In Mr. Churchill's speech is a ringing call to the Dominions and the Colonies for a supreme effort, and there is no doubt as to the response, says the newspaper Dominion. It adds that Mr. Churchill's broadcast was in all respects worthy of his courageous character and leadership.

It brought a mental vision to the people of this remote Dominion of the brave people fortified in their traditional devotion to free institutions, awaiting with

## BOUND FOR AMERICA

LISBON, July 16 (Reuter).—The Grand Duchess of Luxembourg and her husband Prince Felix left Lisbon yesterday for America aboard the United States light cruiser Trenton. The United States destroyer Dickerson is escorting the Trenton.

Van Zeeland, the former Belgian Prime Minister also left for the United States in the Clipper.

undaunted confidence in their cause and strength, the zero hour of attack.

## FRENCH STATEMENT REFUTED BY THE ADMIRALTY

### Inaccurate And Misleading Tale About Action Against Fleet

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—A statement is alleged to have been issued by the French Legation in Dublin last night alleging, inter alia, that after the signature of the armistice with Germany and Italy the French Government was never approached by the British Foreign Office or the Admiralty in regard to the future fate of the French Fleet, and no explanation was asked in regard to the interpretation of the armistice clause relating to the future of the Fleet.

The statement goes on that when it was attacked, none of the French ships in Oran was in a position to manoeuvre or fire.

The statement is the subject of an Admiralty communiqué which says that parts of this statement are so mischievous that it was considered desirable to make the following comment:—

FIRSTLY, BY THE TERMS of the Armistice, the French Fleet was to assemble at ports under Italian or German control, and demilitarised except in the German terms, "those ships necessary for watching the coast and minesweeping" and the Italian terms, "except units which the Italian or German Governments design for the protection of French colonial interests."

Whatever interpretation the French Government may have given to these terms, it was clear to the British Government that the Germans and the Italians had thereby provided themselves with excuses for keeping the whole French Fleet in a state of readiness for action against us when they wished.

FRENCH SHIP READY SECONDLY, REFERRING TO the action in Oran, shortly after the arrival of the ships carrying the British proposals the French warships began to prepare for sea and battle. Lengthy negotiations ensued and it was not until eight-and-a-half hours after the French had begun preparations that the British opened fire. The French refilled within five minutes and not long after the French ships began moving out of the harbour. During the afternoon our aircraft were attacked by a total of 21 French aeroplanes.

ADMIRALTY APOLOGUES THIRDLY, IN REGARD TO the Dublin statement as regards the

## CHINA WILL FIGHT ON

### NO THOUGHT OF INTERMISSION

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—A manifesto was issued at the close of the conference of the Kuomintang (Chinese Government Party) at Chungking, which reaffirms the "fixed National policy of carrying on the war without any thought of intermission until the enemy is driven from our soil," according to an official Chungking telegram received in London.

The manifesto proceeds to declare: "If Japan, having set out on her course of boundless and selfish ambition, is not checked, no other nation in the world will be able to preserve its rights and status in the Pacific and Indian oceans."

"All countries in the world must recognise in Japan a common enemy and, consequently, the close relation between our resistance and world peace."

"Our three years of resistance have caused the enemy's strength rapidly to decline. The foundation for our victory is firmer than ever. Henceforth we must intensify our political, economic and military struggle, acting with especial heed for what the Generalissimo calls the 'militarisation of all conduct'."

## HOW BRITISH FORCES MET THE ITALIANS

### Enemy Turns Tail After Short Encounter

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—An account of how the British forces met the Italian Fleet in the Mediterranean on July 9 was given in an admiralty statement last night.

It says that contact was made by a squadron of British light cruisers attached to the force guarding the convoy, with an enemy cruiser force which returned immediately on coming within the extreme range of our supporting battleships. From this point the action developed into a chase.

A few salvos were exchanged between the battleships, and one hit with a fifteen-inch shell was observed on one of the Italian battleships before the enemy force escaped through a smoke screen laid by their destroyers. The destroyers also returned at full speed through the smoke-screen before our light forces could close the range sufficiently to damage them.

FORCED HOME ATTACK Swordfish aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm forced home the attack in the face of heavy anti-aircraft fire and scored a hit on an enemy cruiser. The enemy was pursued until the British Fleet was in sight of land and, though our forces remained to offer battle, until the evening, despite a succession of bombing attacks by large forces, the Italian aircraft enemy did not offer to renew action. When it became evident that the enemy had no further intention of joining battle, our forces continued their operations.

The British convoys to which they were acting as the covering

force had now arrived at their destination in safety. During this latter phase our ships were attacked repeatedly by aircraft and three casualties to the personnel were caused by bomb splinters from the near misses. No other casualties were suffered during these attacks by aircraft or during the brief action, nor were there any hits made by the enemy by bombs or gunfire.

FIVE ENEMY "DOWNED" Five enemy aircraft were shot down by the fighters of the Fleet Air Arm.

As announced on July 10, other British force which included the Hood and the Ark Royal has been carrying out the sweep in the western Mediterranean. No enemy surface craft were met but sustained bombing attacks were encountered.

As already stated, no casualties to the personnel or any damage to this force was caused by enemy aircraft of which four were destroyed and seven others were damaged.

## FIRST PAYMENT FROM INDIA

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—A cheque for £55,000 from the East India Fund for British War Services was handed over in a hangar of an R. A. F. Fighter Squadron yesterday as the first payment towards an East India Fund flight of Spitfires.

Sir Alexander Murray, who presented the cheque to Capt. H. H. Balfour, the Under-Secretary for Air, said the money had been collected from all classes of the community in Calcutta, Bengal and elsewhere in East India.

## CHINESE PAPER "BOMBED"

SHANGHAI, July 16 (Reuter).—At least ten persons, mostly pedestrians, were injured when a hand grenade was tossed into the offices of the well-known Chinese newspaper the "Shun Pao" at 9.10 a.m. today.

The injured included a proof reader and three janitors. Several windows of the building were broken, but there was no other damage.

It is recalled that the general manager and staff of the "Shun Pao" are on Wang Ching-wai's published "black list."

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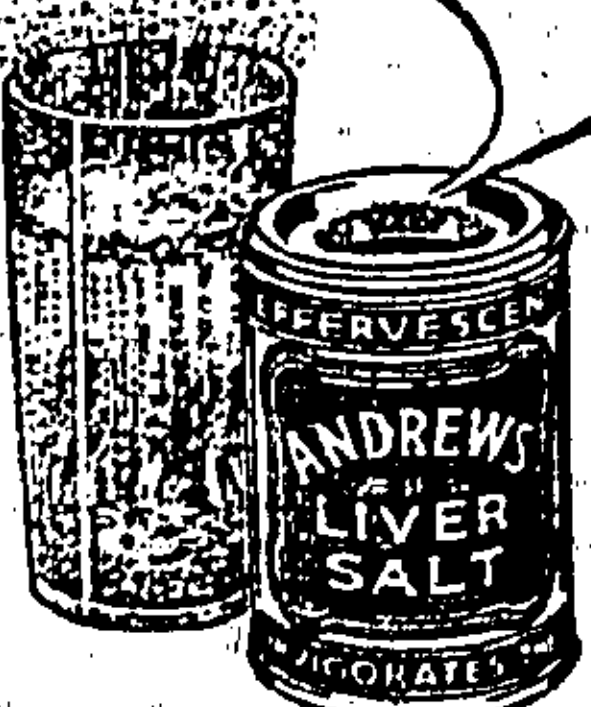


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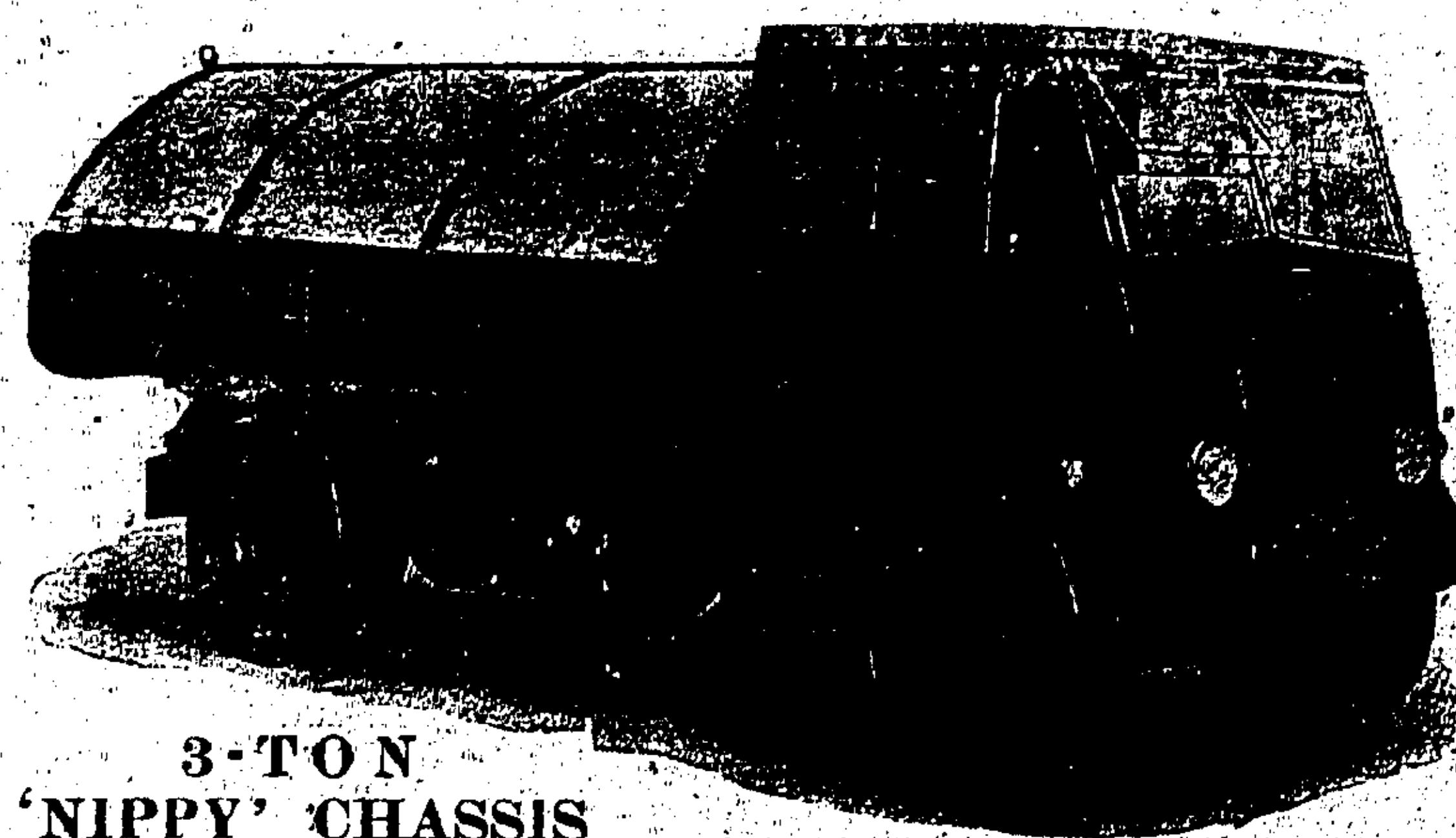
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## WELLINGTON WAR CABINET

WELLINGTON, July 16 (Reuter).—The formation of a War Cabinet, consisting of three members of the Government and two Opposition members, with full Ministerial rank is announced.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

**PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at College Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.**

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	New Kowloon Island No. 2418	College Road, New Kowloon Island Lot No. 2418	As per sale plan.	About 368	10,000	401

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
2	New Kowloon Island No. 2419	Cheung Sha Wan, New Kowloon Island Lot No. 2419	As per sale plan.	About 684	37,120	402

## SENNET FRERES MURDER CASE

Hearing of the case in which Li Hung-fai, alias Li Yuk-shak, alias Joseph Li, is charged with the murder of Mr. Jean Dubois, manager of Messrs. Sennet Freres, on March 2, has been fixed for Monday, July 22, at 10 a.m. at the Criminal Sessions.

Mr. H. Somerset Peto has been assigned for the defence.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Cash Sweep Department of The Macao Jockey Club has been removed to Room 601, China Building, Hongkong, under the management of Mr. Phillip S. Lee and in succession to Mr. Kwok Hin Wang, who has relinquished the position, as from 1st July, 1940.

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## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
3	Hung Hom Island No. 2420	Hung Hom Island Lot No. 2420	As per sale plan.	About 1,000	1,000	403

## COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Twenty-six cases of tuberculosis, eight of dysentery, seven of enteric fever, four of diphtheria and one each of puerperal fever and cerebro-spinal fever were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended at midnight on July 15.

## WEEK'S FIGURES

The number of cases for the week, with the number of deaths in brackets, were as follows:—Tuberculosis, 189 (111); dysentery, 39 (10); enteric fever, 25 (four); cerebro-spinal fever, seven (two); diphtheria, four; measles, four (one); small-pox, one; scarlet fever, one; chicken-pox, one; puerperal fever, one death.

## SUMMARY COURT CLAIM

Hearing was concluded before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams, at the Summary Court yesterday in the case brought by the Lee Tak trading as the Tai Sun firm, claiming for \$252 for work done and materials supplied, against Chu Sze-yin, of No. 28, Gough Street, second floor.

Mr. S. Ng-Quinn appeared for the plaintiff, while Mr. C. D'Almeida was for the defendant.

Chu, in a counter claim, alleged that the plaintiff was owing him \$451.50, the price of furniture and fixtures sold by him to the plaintiff.

Judgment was given for plaintiff in the original claim and to the defendant in the counter claim.

## ROUND THE POLICE COURTS

## AT CENTRAL

## RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY

Four months' hard labour was imposed on Ho Sing, 37, described as a salesman, when he appeared before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of receiving \$70 knowing same to have been stolen. He was also recommended for banishment.

Det.-Sgt. J. R. Sykes, prosecuting, stated that the money was part of the proceeds of a robbery at No. 17 Wing Wo Street when \$2,432 in Hongkong currency, \$120 National currency and a gold pocket watch was stolen. "He said that the complainant, Chuen Chi-wan, master of the Yu Shing Import and Export Company, went to bed on July 9 and hung his jacket, containing the money and watch, on the partition behind the bed.

When he woke up the following morning the jacket was found to be missing. A 18-year-old boy, who also lived at the house had disappeared.

A report was made to the Police and on information defendant was arrested at a house in Second Street on July 14. He stated that he was a clansman of the juvenile and that the boy was living at the Tai Koon Hotel in Des Voeux Road Central.

The boy was then taken into custody. He admitted the theft and had in his possession \$2,170.60 and the watch. He also produced a gold ring which he had bought for \$50 and stated that he had given \$70 to the defendant.

Before Mr. H. G. Sheldon at the Juvenile Court yesterday the lad was convicted and remanded for 24 hours.

## ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT

Hearing was further adjourned to July 25 at 2.30 p.m. when Chan Ping-tong 38, appeared before Mr. H. G. Sheldon at the Central Magistracy yesterday on 12 counts of embezzlement of money totalling \$49 and of larceny of motor accessories.

Evidence from five witnesses was heard yesterday.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the prosecution and Mr. E. S. C. Brooks was for the defence.

## AT KOWLOON

## CYCLE MEETING CHARGE

Three additional charges of obtaining goods by false pretences and one additional charge of obtaining credit under false pretences were preferred at Kowloon Court yesterday, before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, against Anthony Bartholomew Yap, alias Yap Siu-fat, 27, an advertising agent, of Seramban, Malaya, and of No. 313, Hennessy Road, Hongkong.

Yap is charged with having on June 28, obtained from Augustus William Peake, of Jardine, Matheson Co., Ltd., three cases of Ewo Beer on the pretence that he was organising the 2nd All Hongkong Cycle Meeting and required the beer for resale at the meeting. He is additionally charged with having on June 29 obtained four cases of Ewo Beer from Augustus William Peake, and on July 2 with obtaining a further four cases of Ewo Beer.

Yap is charged also with having on divers dates between February 15 and March 13 incurred a debt to the amount of \$332-Hongkong currency under false pretences or by means of fraud other than by false pretences.

## STOREKEEPER CHARGED

On a charge of receiving on various dates 21 bottles of Grant's whisky, 74 cases of U. S. Beer, and seven cases of Ewo Beer, knowing these to be the property of L. Rondon and Co., Loxley and Co. Ltd., and the Jardine Matheson Co. Ltd., Mak Shui, 40, master of the Morrison Store of No. 11, Tin Lok Lane, also appeared before Mr. Macfadyen yesterday.

Represented by Mr. F. Zimmermann, he pleaded not guilty to the five charges and was remanded on bail of \$500 to appear before the Magistrate this afternoon when the case will be heard against him.

Yap pleaded guilty to all charges and was remanded in police custody.

## THEFT OF HANDBAG

Charged with having stolen a handbag containing \$303.60, a pair of gold earrings, a gold chain and

## Several Pleas Of Guilty At July Sessions

## ARMS, ROBBERY, ASSAULT

The July Criminal Sessions commenced at the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon when the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, passed sentence on several accused who pleaded guilty.

Two deportees, Chan Yiu and Ip Kwong, who were banished from the Colony for life in 1939, were each sentenced to 12 months' hard labour.

Similar sentences were imposed on Hui Chau-yin and Mak Chung who pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawful possession of arms and ammunition. The men were arrested by the police in Un Long on May 28 with a revolver and three rounds of ammunition on their persons.

"I should like to say to you, and others of like mind that at times like this, when not only your country but mine is at war, I could not regard carrying weapons as a minor matter. It is all very well to say that you did not know the laws of Hongkong were strict and that these things are winked at in China," remarked Sir Atholl in passing sentence.

## A NO GOOD FELLOW

"You are a singularly ineffective fellow, no good for anything. Even when you do get into a house where there were only a widow and a young girl, you could not rob them. Immediately the girl 'bood' you, you ran away—even then you could not run fast enough," said the Chief Justice when he imposed sentence of 18 months' hard labour on Cheung Tak, who pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with intent to rob.

Cheung was arrested after he had assaulted Chau Man, widow, and Leung Lai-hing, in Kowloon, on June 26, with intent to rob.

When asked for an explanation Cheung said, "I have no food."

The Chief Justice: You look well nourished.

Accused: I have been in custody for well over a month.

## ATTACK ON WOMAN

"Another of these brave, brave men this country is so full of," said the Chief Justice to Chau Ki, who pleaded guilty to robbery with violence. "You attacked a lone woman on a staircase. Even when you did get her in the staircase you could not make a good job of it."

"I am very sorry to say that you are not physically fit for a good thrashing."

Sentence of two years' hard labour, with 12 strokes of the cane, was imposed.

## PRISON AND "CAT"

Chan Ho, Man Pak and Yuen Fu pleaded guilty to robbing Chan Kan-lan of a gold ring, Chan King, of \$390 Chinese money, and other gold articles.

Chan Ho, who was certified to be in a weak condition and not fit for the "cat" was given a term of two-and-a-half years' hard labour.

The other two defendants were each sentenced to two years' hard labour and 12 strokes of the "cat."

Two pieces of jade, from a widow named Ng Lin, 56, in Pel Ho Street, Shumshuipo, on Saturday, two men, Lam Wah-sang, 21, and Cheung Shi, 20, received sentence each of six months with hard labour when they appeared yesterday before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at Kowloon Court.

It was stated that with two other men they had forced complainant to give up her handbag. A third defendant, Pun Ting, 54, a married woman, charged with receiving \$200, the gold chain and earrings and the two pieces of jade, was fined \$200 or six weeks in prison.

## POSSESSION OF ARMS

Wong Kong, 25, master of trading junk No. T781H, was fined \$30 by Mr. E. Himsforth at Kowloon Court yesterday on a conviction for possession of arms and dangerous goods aboard his vessel at Shaikwan Harbour on July 11, without permission from the Hon. Commissioner of Police.

Wong was charged with possession of one rifle, 93 rounds of rifle ammunition, four dynamite bombs, 23 sticks of dynamite, 32 detonators and two coils.

## ALLEGED MURDER

Yu Fai, 47, ex-Chinese soldier, was remanded a further week in custody when he appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at Kowloon Court yesterday on a charge of the alleged murder of Wong Ka-yun at the Argyle Street Trinitarian Camp on May 30.

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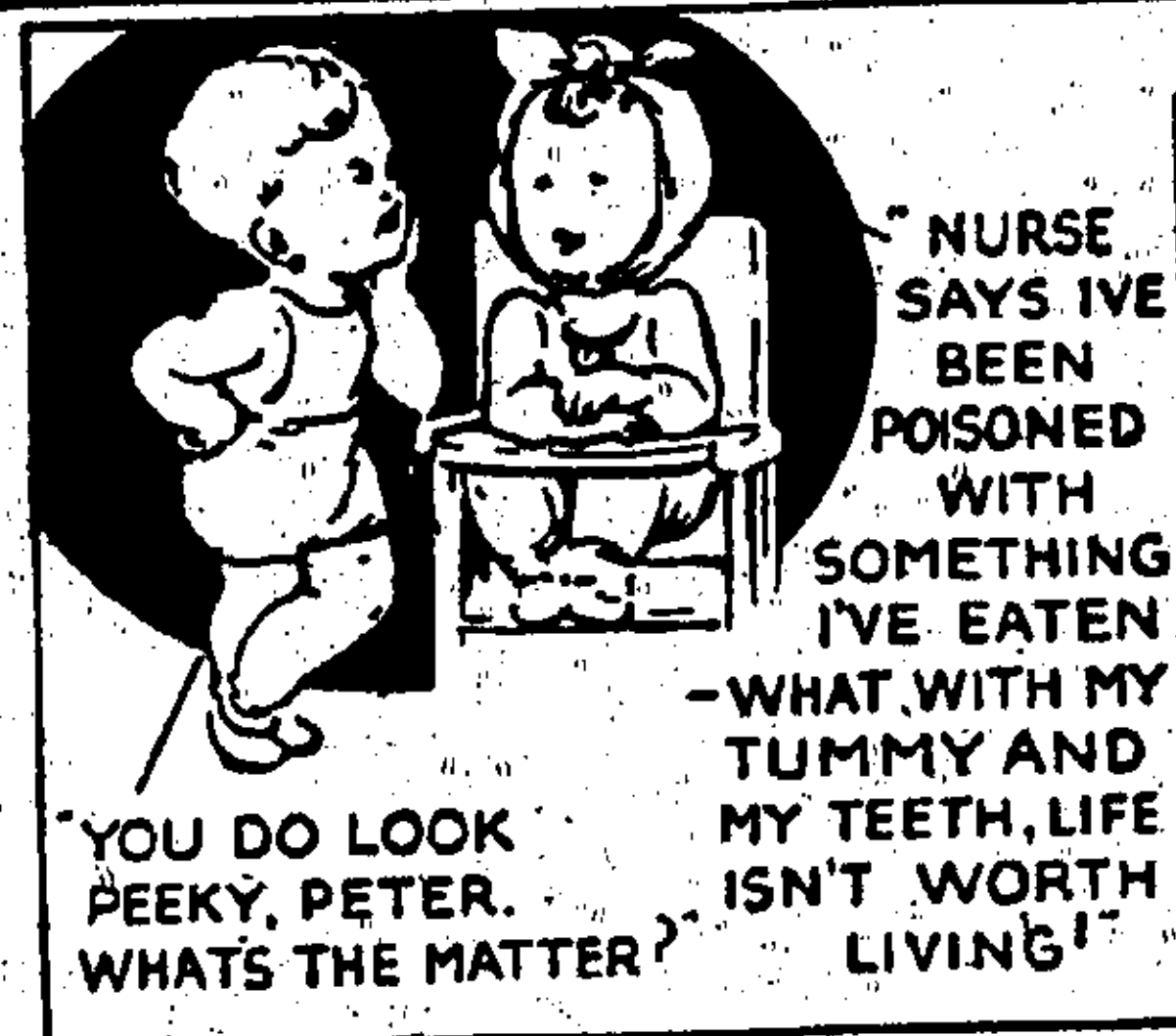
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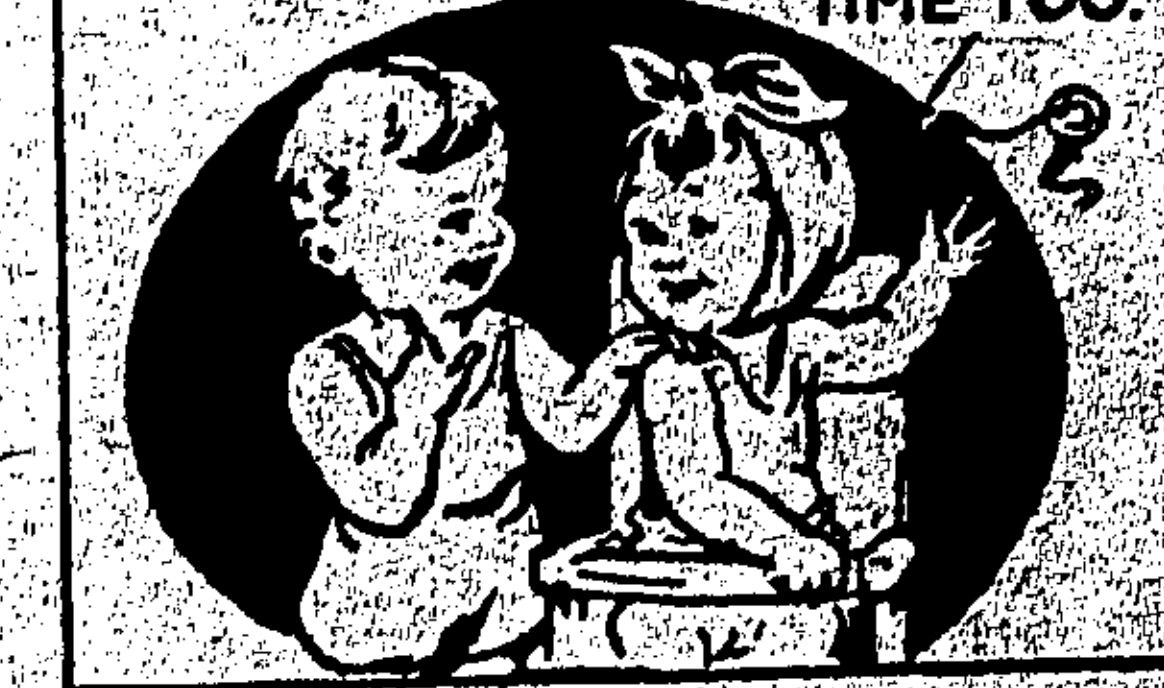
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION  
MISC. PROC. NO. 41 OF 1940.

IN THE MATTER OF The Hamburg-Amerika Linie (In Liquidation).  
and  
IN THE MATTER of the Alien Enemies (Winding Up) Ordinance No. 28 of 1914 Section 13, Subsection I.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court by Order dated the 12th day of July 1940 DIRECTED that all claims to the goods particulars whereof are as follows:—

Item	Marks and Nos.	Packages	Contents	Arrived
1	T I 003 202	1 coil	Galv. Iron Wire	7/12/25
2	K KRO O 1/3	3 cases	Tinned Ham	23/7/38
3	D.L. 1	1 crate	Removal Goods	23/9/38
4	G. K. 1153	1 crate	"	6/7/39
5	H 480 206 C	B 1 case	Silk Yarn	6/3/33
6	(20 (1 bale		Steel Sheets Chinese Army Blankets	11/4/33
7	N/M	1 coil	Iron Wire	14/1/37
8	N/M	9	Canvas Camp Beds	31/1/37
9	C.L. 2120	1 case	Window Glass	1/3/37
10	MANILA C R S SWATOW	3 cases	Cotton Yarn	17/8/37
11	N/M	1 bundle	Round Bars	13/8/37
12	T 2200/4	1 case	Brass Rings	7/1/38
13	Co-op Con- dens-fabrik Friesland	1 case	Linseed Oil	7/1/38
14	H & 14/926 3) 1)	4 cases	Wire Netting	7/1/38
15	W Co. 13/925	2 barrels	Wine	19/1/35
16	S O 953 No. 6B	1 case	Beer	18/2/37
17	SOFIA 1173 6300 UG	1 case	Cigarettes	29/12/32
18	M T 1198 B	1 case	Cotton Laces	1/8/35
19	C O 1 White	2 pieces	Round Bars 1" x 20"	10/5/37
20	No Mark	1 case	Locomotive Equipment	17/8/37
21	"	1 drum	Soda	17/8/37
22	Ends Yellow	2 pieces	Square Bars	17/8/37
23	No Mark	7 pieces	"	"
24	"	1 piece	"	"
25	"	1 bundle	Flat Bars	"
26	Both Ends Yellow	15 pieces	Square Bars	"
27	No Mark	3	Steel Round Bars	"
28	"	1 bundle	"	"
29	1/G 197733 F/E	1 case	Dyes	18/8/37
30	No Mark	1 bale	Paper	21/8/37
31	"	1	"	"
32	G & R 0/361 73/65 3274/9509	2 bales	"	"
33	No Mark. No Port Mark	2 recls	"	"
34	H H H 5131 Shanghai	1 case	(Broken & Empty)	"

Item	Marks and Nos.	Packages	Contents	Arrived
35	No Mark	2 coils	Iron Wire	21/8/37
36	No Mark	1 bale	Paper	"
37	" N/N	1 pkg.	Fish Plates	31/8/37
38	W C 1/3 Nanking	3 crates	Private Effects	8/9/37
39	S C C N/N	1 case	"	"
40	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 case	Jute Strips	"
41	△ CAC 101	1 drum	Asphalt	"
42	1569 Shanghai			
43	H B 6378	1 case	Milk	5/10/37
44	No Mark. No Port Mark	42 bales	Iron Tubes	26/10/37
45	"	3 pieces	Steel Tubes	"
46	"	1 bundle	"	"
47	Splash Red	38 pieces	Pig Iron	"
48	No Mark. No Port Mark	2 drums	Asphalt	4/11/37
49	No Mark	1 piece	Iron Rail	"
50	S.C.H. & Co. 3875	1 bundle 2 pieces	Iron Pipe	"
51	"	1 bundle 5 pieces	"	"
52	"	1 bundle 3 pieces	"	"
53	"	1 bundle 10 pieces	"	"
54	"	1 bundle 10 pieces	"	"
55	J H W 372 Hong Kong 1/7	7 cases	Fish Conserves	"
56	No Mark. No Port Mark	3 pieces	Cast Iron Ware	5/11/37
57	S C H Co. 892	4 bundles	Galv. Iron Tubes	16/11/37
58	No Mark	8 pieces	Corr. Round Bars	"
59	"	1 piece	Sq. Bars	"
60	C Y			
61	△ 643 N C	4 Empty Casks		"
62	Shanghai 212323			11/12/37
63	Tsingtao 1/2	2 cases		"
64	733 S O Shanghai I	1 drum	Cable	"
65	741 S O Shanghai	1 case		"
66	11 Yellow Shanghai	18 bundles	Iron Tubes	7/1/38
67	No Mark N/N	1 coil	Galv. Iron Wire	"
68	W. Z.	1 trunk		"
69	S T			
70	△ 782	10 bottles	Muriatic Acid	21/2/38
71	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	Flat Steel Bar 1.1/8" x 7/8" x 12.1/2"	26/3/38
72	P S W 138 C H	1 piece	Round Bar	4/4/38
73	P S W 189 W 195 C H	2 pieces	"	"
74	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	Flat Bar	"
75	H U S C 3 3135	3 pieces	Channels 38" 3"	"
76	11 Red	1 bundle 5 pieces	32" 8"	"
77	No Mark	1 piece	Flat Bar	4/4/38
78	No Port Mark	1 bag	Bolts & Nuts	14/4/38
79	11 Green 1 Yellow at one end	5 pieces	Round Bars	14/4/38
80	G T C 3237 8340 No. 25 Hong Kong	1 case	Padlocks	6/6/38
81	"	1 case	"	"
82	K & C 2524	1 coil	Iron Wire	16/6/38
83	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	Steel Plates	"
84	"	2 bags	Bolts & Nuts	"

Item	Marks and Nos.	Packages	Contents	Arrived
86	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 bundle	Angle Iron	12/8/38
87	BBC Hong Kong S 4	1 bundle	Rd. Steel Bars	"
88	No Mark. No Port Mark	1	Rd. Bars 1/2" x 40"	"
89	"	3 pieces	Rd. Bars 1.1/4" x 20"	3/9/38
90	"	1 piece	Rd. Bars 2" x 20"	"
91	"	1 bundle	Rd. Bars 1/2" x 20"	"
92	E A 2000/2003 Hong Kong	4 cases	Medicines	"
93	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 coil	Galv. Wire	15/9/38
94	"	19 pieces	Rd. Bars 3/4" x 40"	17/10/38
95	"	4 pieces	Rd. Bars 3/4" x 20"	29/10/38
96	1 end white No Port Mark	1 bundle	Angle Bars	18/12/38
97	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	Rd. Bar 7/8" x 20"	"
98	End Green No Port Mark	8 pieces	Rd. Bars 7/8" x 22/24"	6/1/39
99	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	Angle 2" x 2" x 3/16" x 22"	"
100	111 Red No Port Mark	2 pieces	Rd. Bars 3/4" x 40"	27/3/39
101	"	2 pieces	" 7/8" x 40"	"
102	No Mark. No Port Mark	1 piece	" 1" x 40"	20/8/38
103	L C H 44	1 coil	Galv. Wire	10/2/36
104	H041 BOLCO	1	"	"
105	No Mark	1	"	"
106	K C S/2788	1 bale	Paper Board	13/3/36
107	B. & Co. 1174	5	Cast Iron Pipes	14/1/37
108	"	2	"	"
109	△ 460/369	1	Iron Plate	19/8/37
110	Q KK	1	"	"
111	No Mark Shanghai	1	Angle	"
112	1 Green	1 piece	Galv. Pipe 20" 4" x 3"	22/9/37
113	do.	1 piece	do. 20" 8" x 4.1/2"	"
114	R. B. C.	2 bundles	do. 18" 11" x 1.5/8"	"
115	II White	1 bundle	Bamboo Bar 40" x 7/8"	"
116	N/M	12 pieces	Rails 18" 1"	"
117	N/M	2 bundles	Fish Plates 1' 4" x 1"	"
118	A U A G	1 piece	Aluminium	17/5/38
119	△ 062	1 case	Levelling Rod	31/10/38
120	C Z	5 bundles	Iron Plates	27/11/38
121	G H H MA 210	1 bundle	Flat Bar	8/3/39
122	YELLOW 3446	3 pcs. 1 coil	Galv. Iron Wire	1/5/39
123	Hong Kong	1 package	"Bosch" Nozzle Testers	18/12/37
124	NIU or E E	2 coils	Iron Wire	12/7/36
125	v/m	2 coils	"	"
126	K S △ 5 X	1 bale	Bolts & Nuts	25/8/38

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HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE  
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LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS  
Liquidators.  
Hong Kong, 17th July 1940.

ITALIAN  
CLAIM  
UNTRUE

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—Authoritative circles in London point out that the long list of place names mentioned in yesterday's Italian High Command communiqué, seem to have been included chiefly in order to impress the Italian home opinion, for all belong to isolated groups and mudhuts, which are entirely without military importance.

In any case their capture is not confirmed. These circles further say that the Italian claim to have cut off the Kenya salient, was absolutely untrue, and attention is again drawn to the fact that all these actions are on a very small scale and are more in the nature of reconnaissance raids than serious operations.

Prevention  
Of French  
Credits

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—Asked in the House of Commons what steps have been taken to prevent French credits in British banks from becoming available to Germany or Italy through French channels, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Kingsley Wood, said, "Immediately on the capitulation of the French Government, banks were warned that no withdrawals from French accounts would be allowed, subject to certain well defined exceptions so that the money should not become available to the enemy."

"Trading with the Enemy Act applies to enemy-occupied territory, as well as enemy territory, and by a recent order, it is applied to Algeria, Tunis, etc."

Sir Kingsley Wood added that arrangements were being made to enable the French refugees in this country to have access to their banking accounts.

Selassie In  
Vicinity  
Of Red Sea

CAIRO, July 16 (Reuter).—A state of restlessness among the Abyssinian tribes in the lowlands is reported to be increasing as the result of information having been received that Haile Selassie, is at present in the vicinity of the Red Sea.

MAINTENANCE OF PRESTIGE  
LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—The Italian attack at Moyale may be with the object of maintaining prestige in Ethiopia, writes Reuter's Military correspondent.

It was in this region a few weeks ago, that the King's African Rifles raided at various points on the border and caused much unsettlement among the Abyssinian conscripts.

The withdrawal may, therefore, be regarded more so as part of the guerrilla plan, which will continue than as any serious surrender of territory.

NARVIK HEROES  
HONOURED

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—His Majesty the King yesterday spoke to four men who took part in a battle at Narvik and who have been decorated for their valour.

They were two corporals and two privates of the famous Irish Guards.

## THE WEATHER

The maximum temperature yesterday was 90 degrees and the minimum 81.

Some local showers are forecast for today.

The Royal Observatory report issued at 5.35 p.m. yesterday stated that pressure remains highest over the Pacific to the east of the Bonins.

A depression is moving eastward over N. E. China.

The Pacific depression is probably about 900 miles to the east of Luzon, moving north-west.

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—The Admiralty last night announced the names of five officers, 13 ratings and one Chinese rating missing following the loss of the submarine Grampian, which was announced at the end of June. The last instance of a submarine lost since the war.



## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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ORIGINAL JURISDICTION  
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1	N/M	1	Nuts and Bolts	24/ 7/38
2	328 E 1/20	20 cases	Emery Powder	27/ 3/39
3	ZN 2018	1 case	Mat. Testing Machine	11/ 5/39
4	C 2685 54/69	16 bls.	Paper	21/ 7/39
7	S 743 Canton 348	1 bale	Paper Sacks	4/ 3/37
8	I H E 37/359	20 bds.	Pick Axes	12/ 4/37
9	N/M	1	Empty Drum	29/ 5/37
10	W.W.C.	1	Empty Drum	29/ 5/37
11	N/M	1	Steel Tube	3/ 2/38
12	N/M	3 cks.	Lithopone	3/ 2/38
14	Agente Maritime Clara 9 Marche St Jacques	1 case	Lithopone Powder	11/ 3/37
15	S 2365 & Co. 9411	1 crate	2 Water Closets	24/ 3/37
16	G 3 O 4 5 C 6 O 8 9 Hankow	1 bale	Flush Pipes	18/ 7/37
17	H K R 4255	1 case	Dogspikes	23/ 8/37
22	H K R 839 863 Hankow	2 cases	Fishbolts	23/ 8/37
23	H L 10805 66 Shanghai	1 bale	Paper	23/ 8/37
24	NRG Changsha 4043/1	1 case	2 A.C. Motors	6/ 9/37
25	1 Yellow 1 Green in Middle	1 pc.	Angle Bar	6/ 9/37
26	No Mark	17 pcs.	Jolts	6/ 9/37
27	No Mark. No Port Mark N/N	1 pc.	Brass Rod	6/ 9/37
28	C CS 681 3 Shanghai	1 case	Glucose	21/10/37
29	No Mark. No 1 bdl. Port Mark	1 bdl.	Round Bars	21/10/37
30	No Mark. No 3 pcs. Port Mark	3 pcs.	Brass Rods	26/ 6/38
32	No Mark	39 pcs.	Rd. Bars 1" x 20/22"	25/ 8/38
33	No Mark	6 pcs.	Rd. Bars 1" x 20/22"	25/ 8/38
34	11 White	30 pcs.	Rd. Bars 1" x 20/24"	25/ 8/38
35	11 Red 1 White	8 pcs.	Rd. Bars 1" x 20/24"	25/ 8/38
36	T K 53/8	1 bdl.	3 pcs. Brass Rods	21/ 9/38
39	H No. 172	2 pcs.	Steel Angles 4" x 4" x 48"	27/12/38

Formation Of  
Protection  
CorpsSHOP EMPLOYEES—  
AS RECRUITSInquiries made from an official  
Chinese source last night with re-  
gard to reports of the proposed  
formation of a Protection Corps,  
to be recruited from Chinese shop  
employees, brought a denial of  
the accuracy of reports on the  
matter that have so far appeared.It was pointed out that plans  
for the formation of such a  
Corps were being considered by  
the Commissioner of Police, but  
it was inaccurately stated in re-  
ports that have been published  
that the decision to organise such  
a corps followed proposals from  
the Chinese General Chamber of  
Commerce.A letter in regard to this mat-  
ter appeared yesterday in an issue  
of the Kung Sheng Yat Po, over  
the signatures of the four un-  
official Chinese members of Coun-  
cil, acknowledging an offer from  
the Chinese General Chamber of  
Commerce of full co-operation  
with the authorities in the form-  
ing of a special Protection Corps.

## CHAMBER CONGRATULATED

The letter stated that the very  
proper motives of the Chamber  
were worthy of appreciation. The  
Chamber was to be congratulated  
on its suggestion for augmenting  
the strength of the police reserve,  
but details of such co-operation  
had already been discussed by  
Government and the unofficial

Item	Marks and Nos.	Packages	Contents	Arrived
41	No Mark	5 bds.	Round Bars 1" x 20"	23/ 1/39
42	No Mark	2 pcs.	Round Bars 1" x 20"	23/ 1/39
43	No Mark	1 pc.	Round Bars 1" x 20"	23/ 1/39
44	No Mark	2 pcs.	Round Bars 1" x 20"	23/ 1/39
45	1 End White 2 pcs. 1 End Red	2 pcs.	Flat Bars 3" x 3/8" x 20/22"	23/ 1/39
46	1 End White 1 pc. 1 End Red	1 pc.	Flat Bars 4" x 3/8" x 20/22"	23/ 1/39
47	1 End White 3 pcs. 1 End Red	3 pcs.	Flat Bars 2" x 1" x 20/22"	23/ 1/39
48	1 End White 1 pc. 1 End Red	1 pc.	Round Bars 1" x 21"	23/ 1/39
49	Section White	7 pcs.	Round Bars 1" x 40"	23/ 1/39
50	1 White	1 pc.	Round Bars 1" x 27 1/2"	23/ 1/39
51	C LSV M F N C	2 pcs.	Empty Paper Bags	23/ 1/39
53	B F & Co. Ltd.	1 bag	Bolts and Nuts	27/ 3/39
54	D/Y No. 817	1 bdl.	Angle Bars 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" x 1" x 22"	27/ 3/39
55	PORTLAND CEMENT	4 bds.	Empty Paper Bags	20/ 7/39
58	W S Shanghai 1783/3	1 case	Candy-making Machine	21/ 8/39
61	T 2640 419/1-7 9-12	10 cases	Letter Files	21/ 8/39

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Liquidators.

Hong Kong, 17th July, 1940.

Fire Aboard  
Passenger  
BoatSuffering from burns to her face  
and body, a young woman, Lo Sai,  
24, was admitted to the Kwong  
Wah Hospital yesterday. The  
burns were sustained in a fire  
aboard passenger boat 5798A at 1  
a.m. yesterday.The boat was anchored off the  
Hol On Wharf, near the Western  
Market, when the heavy seas  
caused a kerosene lamp to drop  
from the conning tower on to the  
roof of the cabin, setting this  
alight.The fire penetrated to some bed  
sheets in the cabin when Lo Sai  
and another woman, Kwok Hui, 29,  
suffered burns.BURNED BY HOT  
WIREA Shanghai Chinese, Shum  
Cheung-wah, 24, seaman on board  
a tug boat, was admitted to the  
Tung Wah Hospital, Eastern  
Branch, yesterday, suffering from  
burns to his left elbow.The burns resulted from his be-  
ing struck by a piece of hot wire  
while the boat was moored along-  
side the Royal Naval Dockyard  
wharf, Hongkong, about noon yester-  
day.

## Chinese members of Council

The whole plan of such co-  
operation from the Chinese com-  
munity was being worked out by  
the Commissioner of Police who  
would naturally invite also the  
co-operation of Chinese mer-  
chants.The Daily Press  
報西刺开Editorial and Business Office:  
15-19, Queen's Road Central,  
Tel. 30251.Night Editor (Wanchai Office):  
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Hongkong, July 17, 1940.

THE BURMA ROUTE:  
CHINA'S CONCERN

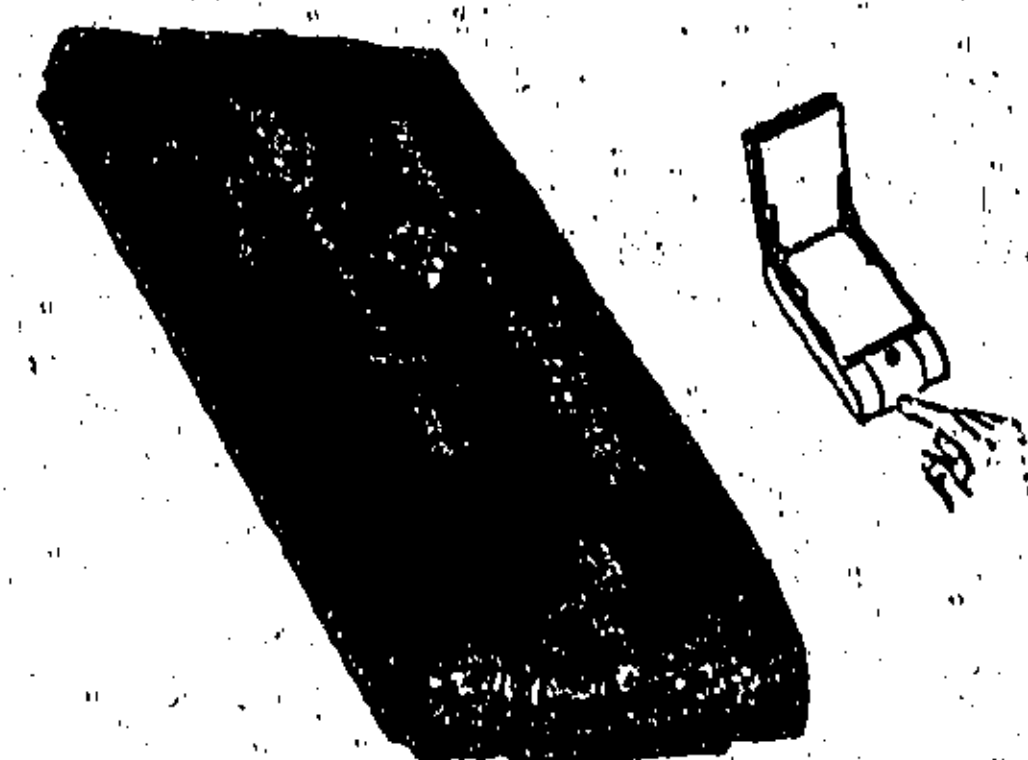
## THE CHINESE GOVERN-

MENT is naturally most  
concerned over the negotia-  
tions which are now in pro-  
gress between Britain and  
Japan in connection with the  
Burma Route, the closure of  
which has been demanded by  
the Japanese. The Chinese  
anxiety, however, appears to  
have been mainly based on  
reports which have emanated  
from Tokyo to the effect that  
the British Government has  
agreed in principle to the  
Japanese demand. There is,  
nevertheless, considerable  
misapprehension over the real  
position of the talks now  
taking place on this impor-  
tant subject and Japanese  
propaganda which has been  
issued on the question fur-  
nishes yet further proof of  
the questionable diplomatic  
tactics which Japan is using  
to influence world opinion  
against Britain. Reaction to  
this propaganda has already  
become evident in the United  
States, where newspapers,  
basing their comments on  
these unconfirmed reports,  
have criticised the British at-  
titude in the negotiations as  
indicating a gesture of ap-  
peasement towards Japan.  
Far Eastern diplomatic circles  
in America have even gone  
further in their condemna-  
tion by hinting at the possi-  
bility of a "Munich in the  
Far East!"NOTHING, however, has  
been officially announced  
either from London or from  
Tokyo, where the British Am-  
bassador is conducting nego-  
tiations with the Japanese  
Government. Until such a  
statement is forthcoming,  
therefore, all reports relative  
to this question must be treat-  
ed with reserve. Above all,  
it must be remembered that  
Britain has repeatedly given  
the Chinese Government an  
assurance that she will do  
nothing that will impair or  
hinder the gallant resistance  
which the Chinese are putting  
up against their Far Eastern  
aggressor. Apart from this,  
the British Government has  
in recent times firmly indicat-  
ed that she will not allow her  
policy in relation to Far  
Eastern affairs to be influen-  
ced by bluster or threats.  
Unfortunately, Britain's pre-  
occupation over the danger  
threatening her own safety  
and security has prevented  
her from continuing the help  
that she has given China in  
the past, but much as she  
would like to see the hostili-  
ties in the Far East terminat-  
ed, Britain would oppose any  
settlement that might jeop-  
ardise China's independence  
and integrity.THE JAPANESE allega-  
tions, therefore, that material  
assistance to the Chinese  
forces is still passing over the  
Burma route are totally in-  
correct. Any closure of this  
highway, from the British  
point of view, is hence un-  
necessary and a decision to  
suspend traffic on the  
route temporarily for three  
months, as one report sug-  
gests, will in no way affect  
China to her disadvantage.  
The interpretation placed on  
reports that the closure of theBurma route will finally  
strangle Chinese resistance is  
typical of Japanese propa-  
ganda and is merely meant  
to create uneasiness among  
the Chinese and impair the  
traditionally friendly rela-  
tions between the stronghold  
of democracy in the west and  
Britain's surest ally in the  
Orient. The Burma Route  
question is, moreover, only a  
side issue to many important  
considerations in the Orient  
at the present time and no  
policy of appeasement will be  
allowed to handicap Britain's  
position of being the cham-  
pion of liberty and indepen-  
dence in the world today.  
The Prime Minister, in his  
broadcast speech on Sunday  
night, made this perfectly  
clear.

THE ASSURANCES which

the British Government has  
given to her allies and sym-  
pathisers the world over will  
be sincerely kept and neither  
the Chinese people nor any  
other races in the Far East,  
who have looked to Britain  
for protection, need have any  
fears that aggression will be  
allowed to dominate their  
national existence. The Chi-  
nese people particularly have  
done a signal service to De-  
mocracy by the heroic man-  
ner in which they have defied  
the forces of aggression in the  
Far East. They were the first  
of the young nations, which  
are shaping their existence  
on democratic principles, to  
oppose Japan's selfish aims  
at domination in East Asia  
and they provided the western  
powers with an inspiring  
example of real unified spirit  
and determination. Britain  
is deeply conscious of this  
service and is prepared to  
honour her pledged word un-  
der all conditions, confident  
that brute force will finally  
have to give way before the  
claims of right and justice.

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Interesting  
Film Shown  
To RotariansARMY TRAINING  
IN CHINAAn interesting film depicting  
war-time industries and military  
training in the interior of China  
was shown at the Hongkong Rotary  
Club weekly luncheon yesterday.  
Mr. David Griffin, President of  
the World Travel Club and Pro-  
gramme Representative of the  
Radio Station WHO, Des Moines,  
Iowa, who took the scenes, gave  
a running commentary.Mr. Griffin, who is from Los An-  
geles, recently arrived here on a  
round-the-world tour, making  
radio and motion picture, travel-  
ogue. He is leaving very shortly.  
The first part of the film showed  
the progress of industries in war-  
time China, mainly depicting the  
Chinese Industrial Co-operatives  
which was instituted in the vil-  
lages in Free China.

## CAN GRIMM GO

Judging from what he had seen,  
Mr. Griffin said that he agreed  
with remarks made by Chinese  
that even with the closure of the  
Burma route, China could still  
carry on for at least a year with  
the vast quantity of raw mate-  
rials.The second reel dealt with train-  
ing in Chinese military academies.  
The speaker commented that there  
were many academies in China  
and could turn out trained officers  
30 to 40 thousand a year for the  
front.The film also depicted candi-  
dates in field training and  
Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek  
reviewing troops on the occasion of  
Graduation Day.Mr. Douglas Hay, assistant en-  
gineer on a Butterfield and Swire  
ship, was reported to the police  
last night as having been located.  
He had been missing from his  
ship since 7 a.m. on Sunday.NAIROBI, July 16 (Reuters).—  
Communications between the  
British and the German forces  
in the East Africa campaign  
have been cut off.



## DEMOCRATS PRAY PRESIDENT ACCEPTS NOMINATION

### "We Want Roosevelt", Voice From Gallery

CHICAGO, July 16 (Reuter).—"We are praying and hoping that the man who can keep the White House as a lighthouse for humanity will accept another nomination. We must draft for President Roosevelt," declared Mayor Kelly of Chicago at the opening of the Democratic Party Convention. His address was greeted with cheers.

As Mr. James Farley, Postmaster-General and Chairman of the Party's National Committee, called for order at the opening of the Convention a solitary voice from the gallery yelled "We want Roosevelt."

The President at that moment was quietly lunching with Mr. Cordell Hull in Washington.

The proceedings opened with prayers during which a clergyman said, "May our country of freedom ever be a beacon light to all the world." Then a tenor singer rendered the Star Spangled Banner.

After Mayor Kelly's address, Senator Lucas, representing the Governor of Illinois, expressed the confidence that the "Convention will not only meet the high hopes of the people in Illinois and America, but that all liberty-loving people throughout the world will be heartened and encouraged to know that Democracy in America continues to reign supreme."

#### NORMAL PROCEDURE

At a press interview before the Convention Mr. James Farley declared that he believed that the normal procedure should be followed, namely that nominations and a roll-call by the States should be held and, finally, the choice of a nominee should be unanimous.

He did not know what Mr. Roosevelt's attitude will be if the minority voting for other candidates should be large.

From this journalists deduced that Mr. Roosevelt's readiness to accept a third term might have been made conditional on evidence of unanimity of the Party.

The Convention went into recess after 46 minutes until 1 a.m. (G.M.T.) on Tuesday.

#### SYMPATHY WITH BRITAIN

CHICAGO, July 16 (Reuter).—Delivering the "Keynote" address on the opening day of the Democratic Party Convention, here last night, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Mr. William Bankhead, said that his party should declare, inter alia, that "we do not propose to appease those aggressors whose doctrines are to wage war on every principle of liberty."

Mr. Bankhead, who had been mentioned in some quarters as a possible candidate for the Vice-Presidency, added that the party platform should also declare sympathy with the British Commonwealth in its struggle for life.

The Speaker added: "We should furnish them (the British) with every possible material assistance to our power within the limits of our law, and short of war."

Mr. Bankhead denounced as calumny the charge made by some Republicans that the Democratic Party was trying "slyly and covertly to lead the United States into war" and a war which had developed despite their efforts.

#### UNITY AND SOLIDARITY

Mr. Bankhead urged both political parties to their recriminations and personal innuendoes, and was a campaign for "unity and solidarity of purpose in preserving the inviolate structure of our government and the perpetual freedom of our people."

Turning to the Democratic Party's domestic record, Mr. Bankhead enumerated the major legislative accomplishments of the New Deal and recalled that the Republican Convention had not urged the repeal of any of them.

Dealing with defence, Mr. Bankhead asked that "with the invasion of Norway, Belgium, Denmark and the Netherlands, how many of us realised the full port of events overseas, prior to that invasion?"

#### TRIED TO ABUSE AMERICA

He added: "There was one voice, the voice of one crying in the wilderness, one that long had tried to abuse America to world reality. Almost alone he foresaw the present situation. That man was the President of the United States."

Mr. Bankhead declared that by contrast with the retrogressive Republican record, the Democratic



Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt

#### AID TO ALLIES IS FAVOURED

NEW YORK, July 16 (Reuter).—Over 90 per cent of the advance guards of Democrats arriving in Chicago for the Party Convention are in favour of some degree of aid to Britain, according to a poll taken in Chicago, states a "New York Times" despatch.

Some Democrats expressed themselves in favour of aid being given with special units such as navy or air force, or placing port facilities at Britain's disposal. The Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies conducted the poll.

The Committee points out that a similar poll taken in the recent Republican Convention in Philadelphia showed that only 45 per cent of those polled favoured giving help to the Allies by war.

#### CONVENTION OPENS

CHICAGO, July 16 (Reuter).—The Democratic Convention opened here yesterday at 5.05 p.m. (G.M.T.).

#### U.S. And The Far East

WASHINGTON, July 16 (Reuter).—The United States continues to pursue a separate and independent policy in the Far East, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, told press representatives yesterday, in commenting on the reports of the British efforts for peace between China and Japan.

Shortly before the press conference, Mr. Cordell Hull saw Lord Lothian, the British Ambassador, but there was no indication that the Far Eastern situation was under discussion.

#### WITHDRAWAL AT MOYALE

NAIROBI, July 16 (Reuter).—A special communique says: "Our garrison in the British Moyale, which has been surrounded for the last five days, withdrew last night according to plan and without any incident."

## TWO GERMAN PLANES IN TWENTY MINUTES!

### South African Pilot Does An Excellent Job

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—An account of how he shot down two German bombers within 20 minutes was given in a radio talk yesterday by a young South African pilot.

His squadron saw its first German plane as recently as May 23, he said. More recently, he was on patrol between Dunkirk and Boulogne, with three other Spitfires, when they ran into 30 German bombers.

A few seconds later, they found that the bombers were protected by M-109 and M-110 fighters. They plunged into battle and returned home later with several bombers to their credit.

This sort of thing lasted for eight days, at the end of which they had brought down about 30 enemy planes, tearing into enemy formations, breaking them up and shooting them out of the sky.

One night recently, German planes were dropping bombs on south-east England. His squadron commander asked for permission to send up one Spitfire. He got this permission, and the young South African went in.

At 12.20 a.m., he took off at 12.20 a.m., he saw one raider held in a beam of search-light. Others were further away but anti-aircraft defences were dealing with them. He shot up towards the German machine.

After dropping its bombs, the German plane turned away towards the sea. The Spitfire got close to its tail and fired at short range. When he was only 50 yards away from the German machine, the South African found his windmill-like search-light on the German's tail and engines.

The raider fell off towards the sea, obviously done for. It crashed.

Nothing appears to be able to survive a Spitfire's fire at short range. This raider was no exception. It went into a dive. The British pilot saw one of the crew take to his parachute, which opened close to the Spitfire as it followed the bomber down.

The British pilot watched the bomber crash down into open country and burst into flames. It had seemed like an air, the pilot concluded. He was very surprised to find that he had landed back at his home aerodrome, exactly 20 minutes after taking off.

## No War Won On Battles Alone

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—Commenting on the situation of the Axis Powers, the Yenisabah Istanbul, on July 12, states:

"Germany may be bedagged and bells rung likewise in the occupied coast from the Arctic Ocean to Spain, but no war is won on only battles and the results of these are being compromised by the British forces, especially the Air Arm. 'The Germans are plunged into thought and are uncertain of what to do. The Italians dare not show themselves in the Mediterranean. 'Winter is approaching and is dreaded by Europe, but mostly by the Italians and Germans who pose as the victors. Hunger cannot be satisfied by the sound of bells. The Italians and Germans have lost all their sea trade and Europe is isolated by the British Navy. 'The future is sombre; a cloud is hanging over Germany and Italy. The latter with hands hanging weakly by the side, must confront the British lion which is growing stronger and roars defiance.'"

## CURACAO AIR-RAID SHELTERS

The first air raid shelters to be installed in the Western Hemisphere are rapidly being erected at Curacao, Netherlands West Indies.

The shelters about ninety in number are strategically located throughout the thriving Dutch "Caribbean" possession and although the citizenry of the oil refining centre are inclined to treat the precaution lightly, local military authorities regard the shelters as being essential despite the fact that the potential enemy is over five thousand miles distant.

That the Dutch experienced early fears of being drawn into the present European conflict is indicated by the fact that all ninety air raid shelter sheds were manufactured in Holland last year and bear stencils marks showing that they were produced in October, 1939.

#### DRILLS CONDUCTED

Blackouts and air raid drills are being conducted at regular intervals and posters explaining the necessity of the blackouts are displayed conspicuously in government buildings, banks and institutions.

Curacao while predominantly a Dutch possession has always been extremely cosmopolitan. Of late because of the tensions existing between Germany and the Netherlands there has been great exodus of German workers at the refineries. During the early days of the war Germans eligible for service were called back to the homeland.

Men leaving Curacao the past three weeks were exempt from duty and according to local authorities these men and their families were discouraged from remaining on as employees of the Dutch owned refineries.

The real fear of air raids in Curacao is not the damage done by the bombs themselves but of the counter explosions that would follow should a bomb strike any one of the hundreds of storage tanks containing millions of gallons of highly explosive gasoline in the refinery premises.

Four Dutch destroyers and three submarines patrol the waters surrounding Curacao and the British and French navies are constantly in the vicinity to afford protection to their own merchantmen.

## Nanking Nonsense

SHANGHAI, July 16 (Reuter).—The Ministry for Foreign Affairs and Ministry for Publicity of the Nanking regime jointly issued the following communique yesterday:

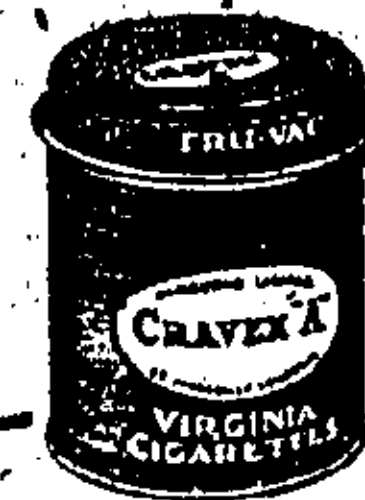
"Since the third session in the negotiations for the re-adjustment of relations between China and Japan representatives of the two countries have held many informal meetings during which frank views were exchanged. 'The fourth session opened today at 9 a.m. and was adjourned at 11.30 a.m. It was devoted to examining the fundamental points relating to the readjustment of Sino-Japanese relations.'"

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## STRIKING POWER OF GERMAN AIR FORCE GREATLY REDUCED AS— ROYAL AIR FORCE PRESS HOME BOMBING ATTACKS

### Enemy 'Dromes And Seaplane Bases Suffer Damages

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—The Ministry for Home Security announces there was little enemy air activity in south-west England and South Wales yesterday afternoon and a few bombs were dropped. No casualties were reported and the damage was slight.

"Twenty-two enemy aerodromes were bombed during the past two nights," according to an Air Ministry communique.

The communique adds: "Last night strong forces of R.A.F. bombers again attacked various objectives in Germany including an aircraft factory in Bremen, aircraft stores at Paderborn, east of the Ruhr, and Diepholz, north-east of Osnabruck, oil plants at Ham-burg and Bremen and goods-yards at Hamm and Soest. Fires and explosions resulted and considerable damage was done."

Other forces of R.A.F. bombers attacked a number of aerodromes in Holland and north-west Germany. Aircraft of the Coastal Command last night attacked an oil storage depot at Ghent and set several tanks on fire. From all these operations two of our air craft failed to return."

The success of these attacks, the statement adds, is contributing effectively to the reduction of the striking powers of the German Air Force."

#### QUEZON SEEKS UNLIMITED POWERS

MANILA, July 16 (Reuter).—President Quezon, in a special message to the National Assembly of the Philippines, requested sweeping powers for himself, including the right to commandeer the services of any Filipino citizen in order to meet the serious economic problems resulting from the European war.

President Quezon said that European trade was virtually stopped and export prices in some cases were below the production costs.

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## Anti-War Pamphlets In Canton

YINGTAK, July 16 (Central).—Anti-war pamphlets are reported to have been circulated among the Japanese troops in Canton and its neighbourhood.

The Japanese military authorities are paying close attention to this matter. Several Japanese suspected of having circulated the pamphlets have been arrested.

"According to a report from Kwantung army, pushing toward Chaoan (Chaochow) and Swatow



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Drawers, Dressing Tables, Chester-  
field Suites, Sideboards, Dining  
Tables, Chairs, Tables, Desks,  
Cabinets, Bookcases, Radios, Type-  
writers, Clocks, Electric Ceiling  
and Table Fans, Curios, Or-  
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Wednesday, the 17th July, 1940  
commencing at 10.30 a.m.

at the Basement of No. 2, Wood  
Road.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

On View from Tuesday, the 16th  
July, 1940.

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## WEATHER REPORT

Hongkong Royal Observatory

10 a.m., July 16.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.82 ins.

Temperature, 85 F.

Humidity, 78 per cent.

Wind Direction, WSW

Wind Force (Beaufort), 3

Temperature; maximum yesterday,

82 F.

Temperature; minimum last night,

82 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th

today, 0.04 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st,

78.59 ins.

Against an average of 44.41 ins.

Sunset tonight, 7.10 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 5.48 a.m.

4 p.m., July 16.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.75 ins.

Temperature, 88 F.

Humidity, 73 per cent.

Wind Direction, SW.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 2.

Maximum temperature, 90 F.

Minimum temperature, 81 F.

Rainfall, nil.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 17 to 23 July 1940.

HIGH WATER.		LOW WATER.	
Date of Week	Date of Month	Date of Week	Date of Month
Wed.	17	Wed.	17
Thur.	18	Thur.	18
Fri.	19	Fri.	19
Sat.	20	Sat.	20
Sun.	21	Sun.	21
Mon.	22	Mon.	22
Tue.	23	Tue.	23

MONEY AND  
EXCHANGE

## CLOSING QUOTATIONS

JULY 16, 1940.

On London:—  
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/3 1/4  
Bank Bills, on demand 1/3 1/8  
Credits 4 months' sight 1/3 3/8  
On Shanghai:—  
On demand, 365  
On Singapore:—  
On demand, 52 3/4  
On Japan:—  
On demand, 99  
On India:—  
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/3 1/4  
and demand, 1/3 1/8  
On New York:—  
Bank Bills, on demand 93 3/8  
Credits, 60 days' sight 94 1/2  
On Batavia:—  
On demand, 43 3/4  
On Paris:—  
Bank Bills, on demand 108 5/8  
Credits 4 months' sight 110 1/2  
On Saigon:—  
On demand, 103  
On Manila:—  
On demand, 48 3/4  
On Bangkok:—  
On demand, 149 1/2  
On Sterling Notes:—  
Bank Buying Rate, 1/1  
Bar Silver per oz., 22 1/16

## MARKET REPORT

FROM ROZA BROS.

Tuesday, July 16.  
Silver prices rose yesterday to  
the extent of 5/16 for Ready  
and 1/4 for Forward, the quo-  
tations being 22 1/16 and 21 3/4  
respectively. Silver advances re-  
ported some bear covering. The  
market was steady but quiet.  
American Silver was quoted at  
34 3/4 for Spot.  
The London/New York cross-  
rate was quoted at 402 1/2. New  
York/London was quoted at 384  
3/4.

## MARKET

## STERLING

Business was done at 1/3 for  
Cash. The market closed at lunch  
time with sellers at 1/23 1/2 July,  
probably August, small buyers at  
1/3 for Cash.

## U. S. DOLLARS

Opened with sellers at 23 5/8,  
buyers bidding 23 7/8. A small  
business was reported at 23 7/8  
followed by transactions at 23 1/2  
and 23 3/4 for near and August.  
The market closed at 1 p.m. with  
sellers at 23 5/8 Cash, buyers at  
23 3/4 for Cash.

## SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Opened with sellers at 381 with  
business done subsequently at  
383 1/2, 383, 382, and 382 1/2.  
Later the rate dropped to 379, 377  
and 376. The market closed at  
lunch time with sellers at 377  
for Spot.

## SHANGHAI MARKET

Sterling opened with sellers at  
3 7/8 and closed firm with sellers  
at 3 29/32 for near and 3 7/8 for  
August. U.S. Dollars opened with  
sellers at 6 1/8 and closed with  
sellers at 6 3/16 for Spot and 6 1/8  
August.

## AFTERNOON MARKET

## STERLING

The market closed with sellers  
at 1/23 1/2 July, probably August  
buyers at 1/3 for Cash.

## U. S. DOLLARS

Easier. The market closed with  
sellers at 23 1/2, buyers at 23 5/8  
for Cash.

## SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Closed with sellers at 377.  
SHANGHAI MARKET  
Sterling closed with sellers at  
3 15/16 and U.S. Dollars at 6 1/4.  
Steady.

## Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, July 15 (Reuter)

Official T.T. Rates

Opening

London, 0/3-3/4

New York, 5-7/8

Japan, 24-1/4

Paris, 20-3/4N

Hongkong, 24-7/8

## Sterling

Sellers

Opening Closing

Spot, 0/3-27/32 0/3-15/16

July, 0/3-27/32 0/3-15/16

Aug., 0/3-13/16 0/3-29/32

## U. S. Dollars

Spot, 23-1/16 23-7/32

July, 23-1/8 23-7/32

Aug., 5-31/32 6-1/8

## Market—Uncertain.

## Silver Duty Rate.

The Central Bank of China's  
rate on London at 10 a.m. today  
was 1/2-1/2d.

The Equalisation rate was 104  
per cent.

## HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE, SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

TUESDAY 16, JULY.

Buyer Bidder Sales Nominal

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## FOREIGN MARKETS &amp; QUOTATIONS

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## QUOTATION

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

JULY 16, 1940.

STOCKS	Last Sale	STOCKS	Last Sale
Adams Express	54	Kennecott Copper	242
Allegheny Steel Co.	22	Lake Foundry & Mac.	37
Allied Stores	51	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	37 1/2
Allis Chalmers	29	Lockheed Aircraft	26
Aluminum Ltd.	58 1/2	Loew's Inc.	24
Amer. Can.	94 1/2	Loft Incorporated	24
American Cyanamid B.	31 1/2	Mack Truck Inc.	19 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Power	11	Martin, Glen L.	29 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Pfd.	15	McKesson & Robbins, pfd.	21 1/2
American Gas & Elec.	33	Montgomery Ward	90 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	12 1/2	National Aviation	9 1/2
Amer. Metals Co.	15 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products	13 1/2
Amer. Radiator	11	Nat. Distillers	20 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	34 1/2	National Gypsum	6 1/2
Amer. S'ing and P'ing Co.	13 1/2	National Lead	16 1/2
Amer. Sugar Refining	159 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	7 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	77 1/2	National Steel Corp.	57 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B"	77 1/2	National Supply Corp.	5 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	9 1/2	New York Central	11 1/2
Anacostia Copper	19 1/2	Niagara Hudson Power	4 1/2
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Pa.	15 1/2	N. American Aviation	18
Aviation Corp.	5	North American Co.	20
Bacok & Wilcox	23	Northern Pacific	6 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	14 1/2	Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	49
Baltimore & Ohio	3 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.	29 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.	9 1/2	Pacific Lighting	41 1/2
Barnsdall Oil	8 1/2	Packard Motors	4
Bell Aircraft Corp.	16 1/2	Pan-American Airways	13 1/2
Bendix Aviation	27 1/2	Paramount Pictures	4 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	75 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R.	15 1/2
Elbas & Co.	14 1/2	Phelps-Dodge	25 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	14 1/2	Philadelphia Read, Coal	1 1/2
Borg-Warner	15 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	31 1/2
Bridgeport Brass Corp.	8 1/2	Pittsburg Coke & Iron	6 1/2
Briggs Mfg.	17 1/2	Public Service of N.J.	38 1/2
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	23	Pullman Inc.	19 1/2
Brooklyn-Man. Pfd.	108 1/2	Pure Oil	7 1/2
Budd Manufacturing Corp.	3 1/2	Radio Corp. of Am.	5 1/2
Canadian Pacific R'way	47 1/2	Reading Company, Com.	11 1/2
Case, J.I.	28 1/2	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	4 1/2
Celanese	36 1/2	Republic Aviation Corp.	4 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	36 1/2	Republic Steel	16 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	27 1/2	Revere Cop. & Brass Inc.	8 1/2
Climax-Molybdenum Co.	73 1/2	Reynold Tobac. "B"	36 1/2
Colts Patent Fire-Arms	5 1/2	Richfield Oil	8
Columbia Gas & Elec.	83 1/2	Safeway Stores	41 1/2
Columbia 5% "A" pfd.	28 1/2	Schenley Distillers	9
Commercial Credit Co.	11	Sears Roebuck	72 1/2
Com. & Southern (Ord.)	27 1/2	Shell Union Oil	8 1/2
Consolidated Edison	61	Socoy-Vacuum Oil	8 1/2
Consolidated Oil	39 1/2	Southern Pacific	18 1/2
Continental Can	18 1/2	Southern Ry. \$5 pfd.	38 1/2
Continental Oil	18 1/2	Sperry	25 1/2
Copperweld Steel	48 1/2	Spicer Manufacturing Co.	6
Corn Products	7 1/2	Standard Brands	11 1/2
Curtis Wright (C.)	24 1/2	Stand. Gas & Elec.	13
Curtis Wright "A"	15 1/2	Standard Oil of California	34 1/2
Deere & Co.	151	Standard Oil of N.J.	34 1/2
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	68 1/2	Stone & Webster	8
Douglas Aircraft	158	Studebaker Corp.	6 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	8 1/2	Swift International	17 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	29 1/2	Technicolor	10 1/2
Eaton Mfg. Co.	31 1/2	Texas Corp.	38 1/2
Elec. Antolite	61	Texas Gulf Sulphur	31
Elec. Bond & Share	62	Timken-Axle	23 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pfd.	71	Trans-America Co.	5
Elec. Bond & Share \$8 pfd.	32 1/2	20th Cent. Fox	14 1/2
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pfd.	103 1/2	20th Cent. Fox \$1 pfd.	103 1/2
Flak Rubber	12 1/2	Union Bag & Paper Corp.	68
Flintkote	45 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon	82
Gen. American Trans.	31 1/2	Union Pacific	34 1/2
Gen. Electric	109	United Aircraft	16 1/2
Gen. Motors	123	United Airlines Trans.	2
Gen. Railway Signal	12 1/2	United Corp.	35
Gen. Tire & Rubber	12 1/2	United Gas Corp.	14
Gillette Co.	12 1/2	United Gas Improvement	12 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	51 1/2	U.S. Industrial Alcohol	17 1/2
Goodrich 5% pfd.	14 1/2	U.S. Rubber	18 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.	23 1/2	U.S. Rubber \$8 pfd.	74 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore	23 1/2	U.S. Steel	51 1/2
Great Northern Ry. pfd.	21 1/2	Vanadium	29 1/2
Great Western Sugar	11 1/2	Vulcan Aircraft	6 1/2
Greyhound Corp.	78 1/2	Walworth Co.	3 1/2
Hercules Powder Co.	43	Warner Bros. Pict.	24
Homestead Mining	39 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.	93
International Harvester	23 1/2	Woodward Iron Cor.	25 1/2
Int. Nickel	12 1/2	Chase National Bank	—
Inter. Paper & Power	24 1/2	National City Bank	—
Int. Tel. & Tel.	55 1/2		
Johns-Manville	55 1/2		
J. & Laughlin Steel \$7 pfd.	74		

—bid. —ex. div.  
DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939/40	July 16, 1940	Change
High	121.13	121.93
Low	111.84	111.73
Dow Jones Averages	115.93	115.93
Industrials	28.05	28.05
Rails	22.05	22.05
Utilities	22.05	22.05
Bonds	22.05	22.05
Commodity Index	65.07	65.07

## LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, July 16 (Reuters).  
Tin, Standard, Cash, Middle Price, \$226 1/2.  
Tin, Standard, 3 months, Middle Price, \$224 3/8.

## LARGE ORDERS IN HAND

MELBOURNE, July 16 (Reuters).  
The Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. Menzies, announced that orders from overseas totalling \$2,888,000 are being filed in the Commonwealth. They include orders from the British Ministry of Supply, the Admiralty of New Zealand, and India.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, July 16 (Reuters).  
In the Stock Exchange, Mr. Winston Churchill's overnight speech was responsible for the firm market.

Chinese and Japanese bonds improved a point or more on the progress of the Anglo-Japanese negotiations.  
Industrials are irregular but the gains at least are equal to the losses.  
Wall Street is steady.

## LONDON GOLD

London, July 16 (Reuters).  
Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 189/-

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London July 15.

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

War Loan, 3 1/2% (Red after 1952)	99 1/2
Canton-K'loon Ry. 5% 1893 (Brit. Issue)	40
Chinese 4 1/2% Gold Loan	40
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds	43
1925-47	43
Chin. 4 1/2% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	44
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan	15
1912	15
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan	20
1913 (Ldn. Is.)	20
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes	8
1925 (Vickers)	8
Chin. Imperial Ry. 5% Loan	56
Honan Ry. 5%	12
Hukuang Ry. 5%, 1911 (L.P. N.Y. Issue)	14
Hukuang Ry. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	11
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Ry. 5% 1913	15
Shai-N'King Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	8
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (German Stpd.)	8
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	8
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	8
Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	30
Ger. 7% Int'l. Loan, 1924	54
Chartered Bank	52
H.K. & Shanghai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	63
H.K. & Shanghai Bank (Col. Reg.)	65
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	15 1/2
Chosen Corporation	6 1/2
Pekin Syndicate	2
Shai Elec. Constr. Co.	15
Shai Waterworks "A"	13 1/2
Union Insurance	20
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	15
S.A. Tob. (bearer)	65 1/2
Mercantile Bank	11 1/2
Dunlop Rubber	25 1/2
Bristol Aeroplane	8 1/2
Imperial Chemical Ind.	23 1/2
United Steel	15 1/2
Woolworths	48 1/2
Marsman Investments	7 1/2
Western Holdings	7 1/2
Sub-Nigel	140
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	33 1/2
Nat. Defence Bonds, 3%	99 1/2
London-Midlands-Scot. 1 1/2%	11 1/2
Great Western Rail.	26 1/2
Nat. Bank of India, 3% way, 3%	24 1/2
1-ex-dividend	

## SILVER MARKET

## LONDON SILVER

London, July 15 (Reuters).  
Silver: Little bear covering offerings small. Market quiet. In the afternoon, the market was quietly steady.

Spot, 22 1/16.  
Forward, 21-3/4d.

## BOMBAY SILVER

Bombay, July 15 (Reuters).  
Market—Steady. Offtake \$9 bars.

## Indian Mint Silver

Ready 62-05  
July 30 Settlement 62-01  
Aug. 28 Settlement —

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## COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW

(FROM PAYNE &amp; CO.)

NEW YORK, July 15, 1940.

## SINGAPORE RUBBER

	Previous	July 15	Change
S P O T	37 cts.	37 cts.	unch.
OCT./DEC.	34-5/8	34-5/8	off 1/8
JAN./MAR.	32-1/4	32-1/4	unch.

The market was dull.

## LONDON RUBBER

	Previous	Today's	Change
S P O T	12-3/8	12	off 3/8
AUGUST	11-7/8	11-3/4	off 1/4
SEPTEMBER	11-5/8	11-3/8	off 1/4
OCT.-DEC.	11-3/8	11-1/8	off 1/4
JAN.-MARCH	buyers	buyers	Change

The market was dull.

NEW YORK COTTON: Small Southern selling was absorbed by scattered domestic trade interests. The weather in the Cotton belt was unfavourable.

NEW YORK RUBBER: Interest is being centered on the announcement that the Government is prepared to manufacture synthetic rubber in sizable quantities.

CHICAGO WHEAT: Market highly erratic. Prices are tending lower on a forecast of rain in the North-West and on large winter receipts attended by hedging and increasing visible supply.

NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 121.43; Today's close, 121.72; Change up .24.

## NEW YORK COMMODITY MARKET

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

	High	Low	Close	Change
New York Cotton, Oct.	9.45	9.37	9.43N	9.45
New York Rubber, Sept.	19.30	19.15	19.25	19.15
Chicago Wheat, Sept.	74	73	73 1/2	73 1/2
Chicago Corn, Sept.	58 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
New York Hides, Sept.	9.84	9.70	9.84	9.75
NEW YORK COTTON				
July	9.74	9.73	9.72	9.72
July (New contract)	10.04	10.00	10.04N	10.04
October	9.43	9.41	9.45	9.45
December	9.30	9.29	9.32	9.32
January	9.20	9.18	9.22	9.22
March	9.09	9.07	9.12	9.12
May	8.91	8.90	8.94	8.94
Spot	10.48	10.50	10.50	10.50

Total sales Saturday—100 bales.

## NEW YORK RUBBER

	High	Low	Close	Change
July	20.60	20.55	20.55	20.55
September	19.25	19.20	19.25	19.25
December	18.45	18.35	18.40	18.40
January	18.35	18.30	18.37	18.37
March	18.20	18.10	18.35	18.35
May	18.15	18.10	18.35	18.35

Total sales—460 tons.

## CHICAGO WHEAT

	High	Low	Close	Change
July	73 1/4	73 1/4	72 1/2	72 1/2
September	73 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/4
December	75 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4

Saturday's sales—8,806,000 bushels.

## CHICAGO CORN

	High	Low	Close	Change
July	60 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
September	57 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
December	54 1/4	54 1/4	54 1/4	54 1/4

## WINNIPEG WHEAT

	High	Low	Close	Change
July	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
October	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
December	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2

## NEW YORK HIDES

	High	Low	Close	Change
September	9.84	9.80	9.87	9.87
December	10.01	10.00	9.87	9.87
New York Official	unquoted	unquoted	34-3/4	34-3/4
NY-London Cross Rate	3.71	3.71	3.84-3/4	3.84-3/4

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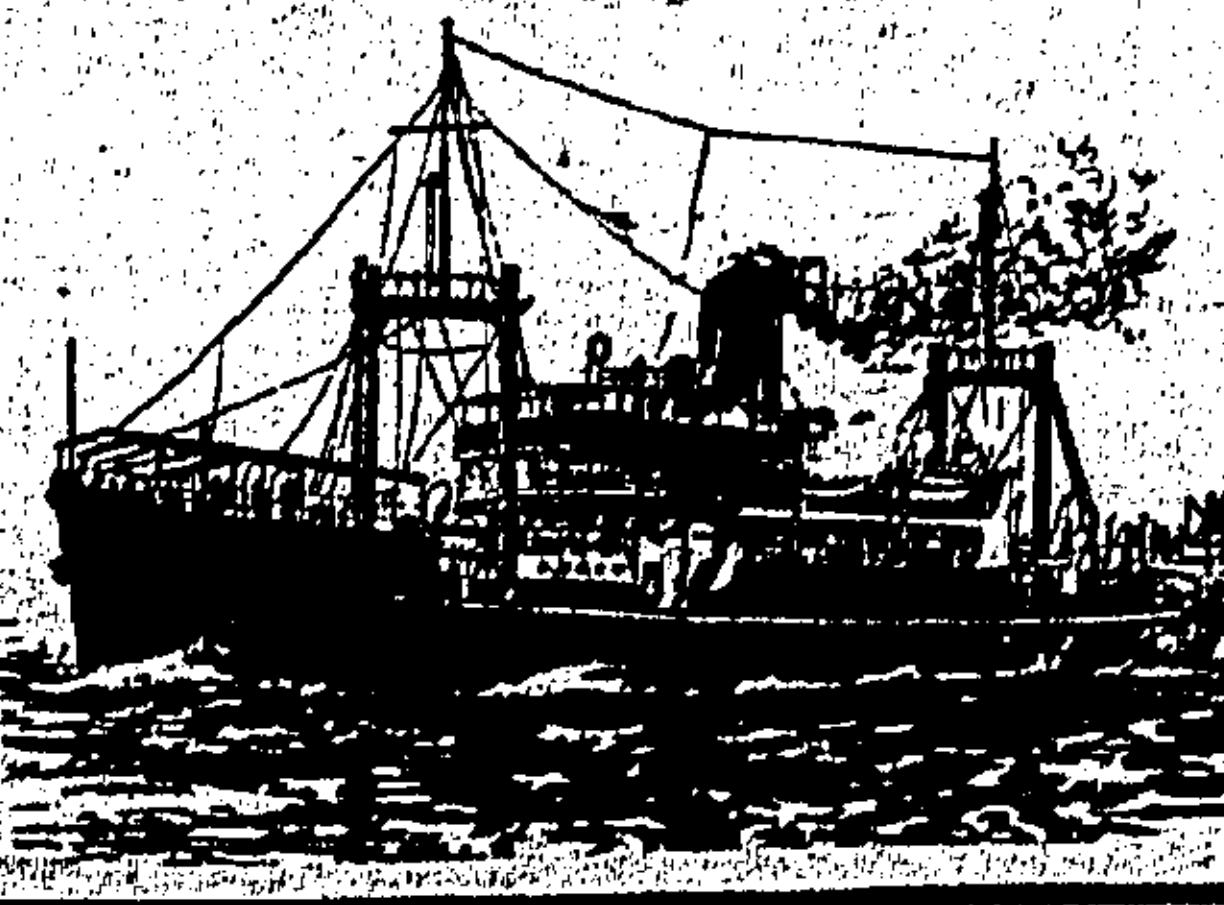
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For the HONGKONG &amp; SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 25th Feb. 1939.

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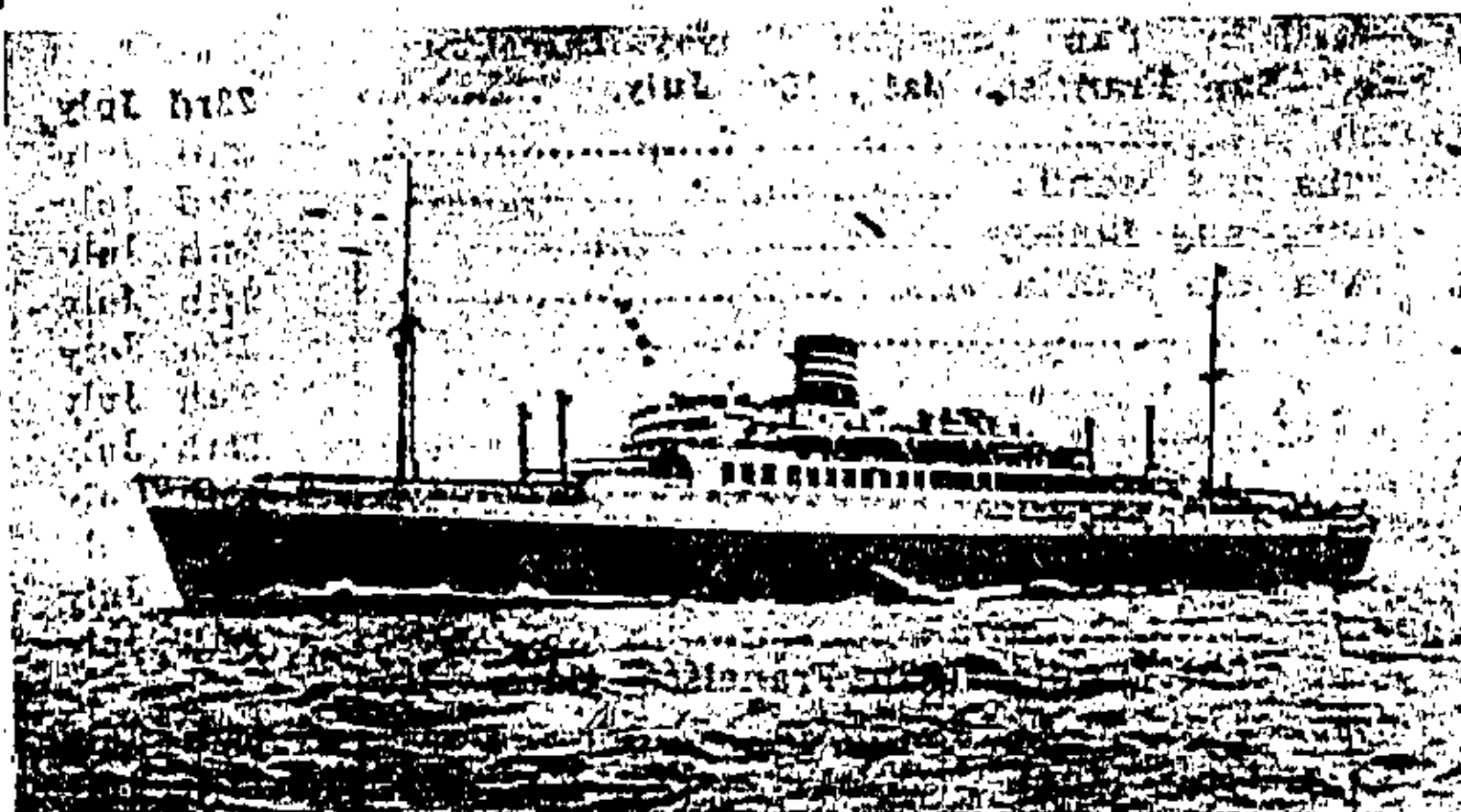
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S.S. "PRESIDENT CLEVELAND" Aug. 4  
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• Omits Yokohama.

To NEW YORK and BOSTON  
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LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—The New York Herald-Tribune, commenting on Mr. Winston Churchill's speech, says: "Without hysterical bombast, but with a superb mastery of word, thought and emotion, Mr. Churchill spoke to an embattled British Empire."

"Underlying every word was a high resolve, stern determination and hope; there was never a hint of weakening or possible defeat. What was impressive was the atmosphere of imperturbable confidence that clothed it."

"The loyal co-operation the Empire has given Mr. Churchill in the tremendous task and the preparation still in progress" indicates the heartening unanimity of resolve.

"While Britain waits the great storm already breaking on her shores, her people must be comforted to hear their determination to fight without stint or faltering, so worthily expressed."

**TIBETAN FLOOD  
& 'QUAKE**

SIMLA, July 16 (Reuter).—About 200 people are believed to have perished in a flood which was accompanied by a slight earthquake that occurred in the Chumbi Valley, in southern Tibet, on last Wednesday, it was learned here yesterday.

A number of villages in the valley south of Yatung are reported to have been washed away. The telegraph line between Yatung, where several houses collapsed and India was destroyed for a distance of six miles.

The Maharajah of Sikkim had left Gantok with a relief party and the medical officer attached to the British Trade Agency at Gyantse is also proceeding to the scene of the disaster.

**CHINA LODGES  
PROTEST**

CHUNGKING, July 16 (Reuter).—The Chinese Government has lodged a strong protest with the British Government on learning that the latter had decided to suspend the transportation through Burma of certain supplies to China.

**ITALIANS TO  
WORK IN  
REICH**

BERLIN, July 16 (Reuter).—Seven hundred Italian workmen—the first contingent of 20,000 Italian industrial workers to be sent to Germany under an agreement between the German and Italian labour authorities—are expected in Munich on Wednesday, says the official German news agency.

From there they will be distributed among the industrial districts of the Reich.

**HANGCHOW BAY  
OPERATIONS**

SHANGHAI, July 16 (Reuter).—A Japanese naval force, consisting of warship and marine aircraft, this morning began operations in the Hangchow Bay area.

**PASSENGERS****DEPARTURES FROM  
HONGKONG**

A. K. P. M. liner left for the North with the following passengers from Hongkong:—

Mrs. W. D. Borstein, Mrs. A. Dijkstra and infant, Mrs. A. G. van Leenhoff and infant, Mrs. W. Pummer, Mrs. O. P. Remedios and infant, Miss L. Remedios, Master H. Remedios, Miss S. Remedios, Miss N. Thomas, Miss F. Thomas.

**ARRIVALS**

The following arrived from the North on an N.Y.K. liner yesterday:—

Mr. Joseph Fister, Jr., Mrs. T. Hasegawa and son, Master Nodori Tanaka, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Mathieu, Ellen Minnie, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Heaps, Mr. H. A. Shaff, Mr. M. Akisige, Mr. Thomas G. Adams, Mrs. Ida E. Capps.

Mr. John C. Fenton, Mr. Patrick C. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Kaku-da, Mr. N. Kuba, Mr. T. Tanaka, Mr. S. Takai, Mrs. Elaine B. Ballard, Mr. S. Inouye, Mrs. T. Take-da and son, Mr. Masahiro Yoshimoto.

**DEPARTURES**

Another N.Y.K. liner bound for Southern ports took the following on board from Hongkong:—

Mrs. Birkit Bibi, Mrs. Rahmat Bibi and child, Mrs. Fatman Bibi and child, Miss Anwar Bibi, Mrs. Raahida Begum and infant, Mr. F. G. Carim, Mr. and Mrs. E. de Costa, Mr. L. G. H. Denister-Silva, Mr. B. Danister.

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**IN TRANSIT**

Those in transit on the N.Y.K. liner now in the harbour are:—

Mr. Joaquin Agtarap, Mr. I. L. Arroyo, Mr. J. P. Agtarap, Mrs. Yone Aoyagi and son, Mr. G. Garcia, Mr. Joaquin J. Gonzalez, Mr. William E. Grimm, Jr., Mr. M. Hamanaka, Mr. Z. Hazama, Mr. Felix Hoeson, Mr. K. Ishii, Mrs. F.

**Warning To  
Shipping****BRITAIN'S REPLY  
TO ITALY**

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter).—The Admiralty has issued the following announcement:

"The Italian Government has recently issued a notice to the effect that within a limit of 30 miles from Allied coasts all merchant shipping bound for Allied ports will navigate at their risk and peril."

His Majesty's Government regard themselves as justified in taking similar action in respect of vessels navigating in the vicinity of the Italian coasts.

His Majesty's Government, accordingly, give notice that all vessels navigating 30 miles within any Italian territory in the Mediterranean will do so at their risk and peril.

E. Jernakoff, Miss Valentina Kirchhoff, Miss Clare Leonard, Mr. T. W. Maas, Mrs. Dora M. Meherin, Miss C. Meherin, Miss P. C. Meherin, Mr. H. Moriyasu, Mr. S. Miyagawa, Mr. M. Mori, Miss T. Miyamura, Mr. M. Matsushita, Mr. P. K. Nataraja, Mr. E. Namikawa, Mr. O. H. Ochs, Mr. I. Ozawa, Mr. Y. Yosiro, Mr. Antonio Ricafort, Mr. C. F. Roeholm, Miss Claire Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Rousseau and son, Mr. K. Sekimoto, Mrs. Y. Shlmano and son, Mr. J. Sital, Mr. F. L. Torres, Mr. P. Valenzuela, Mrs. A. D. Williams, Miss A. D. Williams, Mr. S. Yoshii, Mr. T. Yabe, Mr. O. Yoshikawa.

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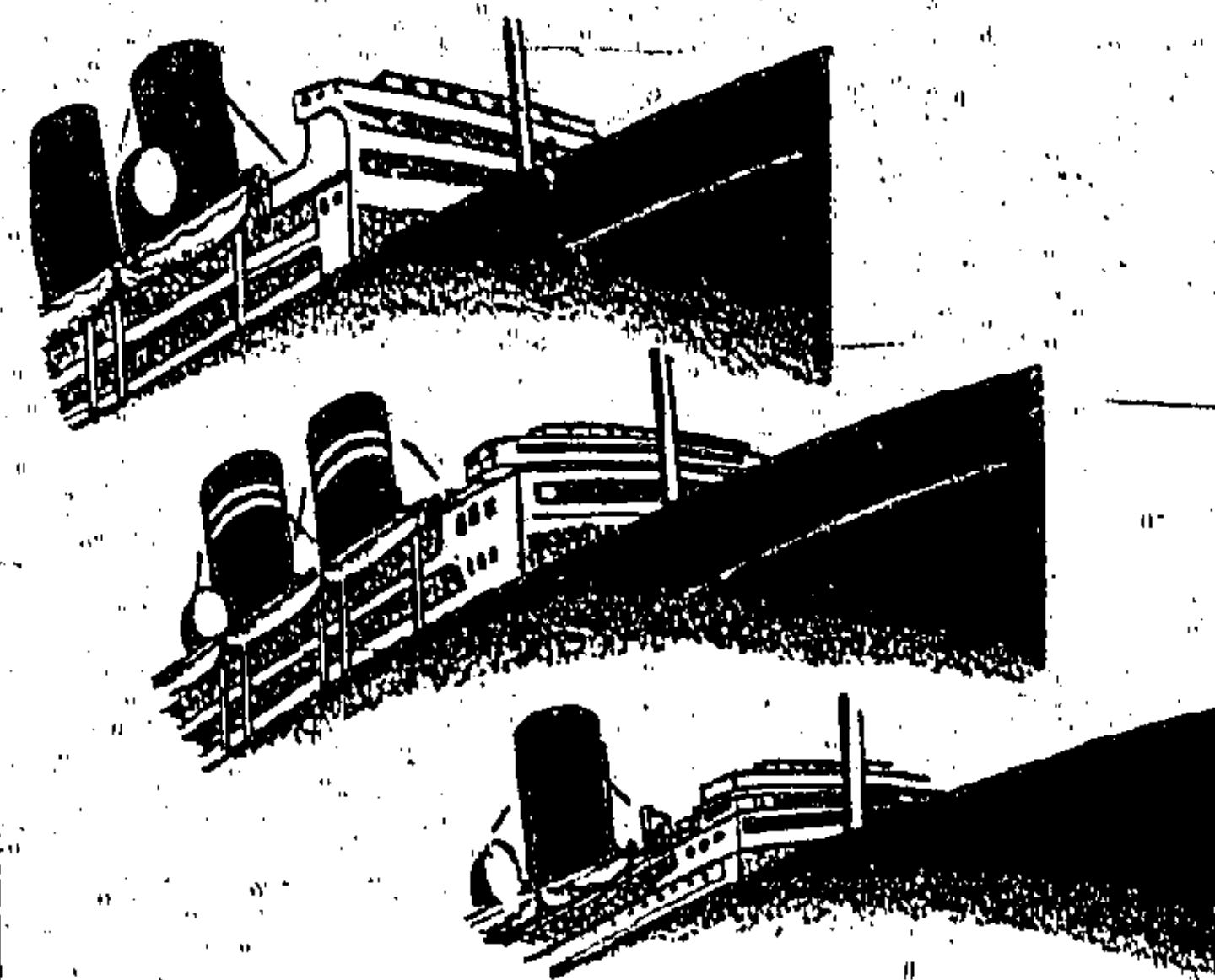
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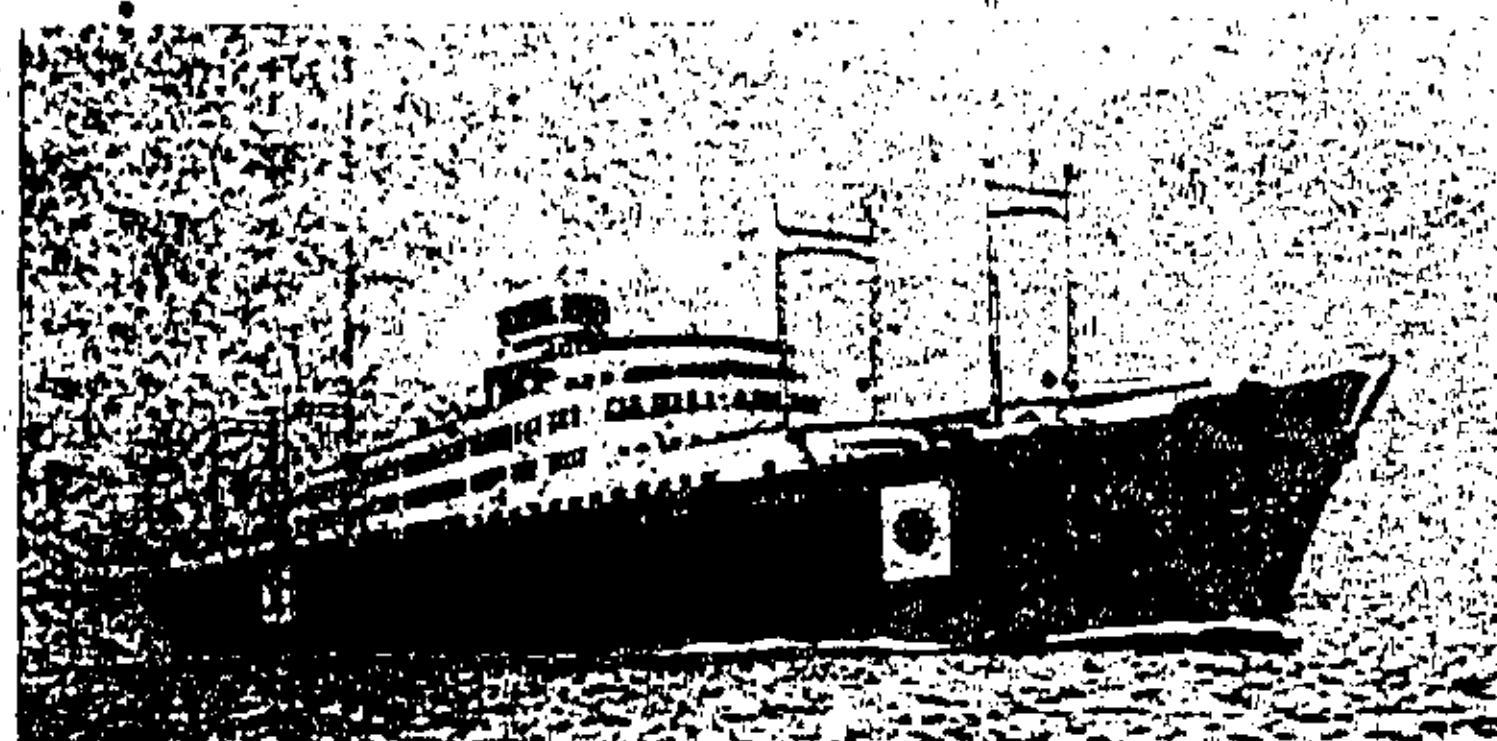
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## CHINA AND THE BURMA ROAD NEGOTIATIONS

### Chungking Believes Japan At End Of Her Tether

CHUNGKING, July 16 (Reuter)—Chinese circles are indignant over the alleged British appeasement policy towards Japan, saying that it is beneath the prestige and dignity of a great power to forsake the obligations solemnly undertaken during a long standing friendship. They also feel that the appeasement will be futile to prevent further Japanese encroachment on British interests in China and the Far East.

There is a strong belief here that Germany, Italy, and Japan are likely to start a combined offensive against Britain and the British Empire in the different parts of the world simultaneously.

**SUDDEN CESSATION**  
There have been sudden cessation of the Japanese serial attacks on Chungking, leading to the speculation on the causes of this unexpected development.

One theory is that the Japanese are concentrating aircraft in South China to support possible Japanese attack on Hongkong, Indo-China, or Burma.

In a leader entitled "To the British Government and People," the Central Daily News, official organ of the Chinese Government declared:—

"From the standpoint of International Law, Britain is neutral in the Sino-Japanese hostilities. Britain has no right to accept Japan's unreasonable demands. Japan never declared war on China and Japan cannot enjoy the rights granted to belligerents under the International Law.

"How can a neutral country grant Japan rights which are not even permitted to belligerents under the International Law?

"From the standpoint of the League of Nations Covenant and Resolutions, Britain has obligations not to increase the difficulties of China's resistance, but also to give every assistance to China.

"Britain is a Treaty respecting nation and denounces those nations not observing Treaty obligations.

"Britain should not take any action in tearing up Treaties or violating trust. From the standpoint of Britain's own interests, Britain has a firm policy in opposing aggression and helping victims of aggression. If Britain abandons this policy in the Far East, how is Britain to explain herself before the eyes of the world?

**MUST NOT BE TRICKED**  
"British leaders have publicly declared that the war cannot depend on purely material things, and must, instead, rely on moral strength. Is Britain going to destroy that moral strength? Japan's ambitions have no limits. If Britain yields to the Japanese demands, Japan will one day invade Burma and India. The Mukden Incident is a clear example.

"The British Government, under Mr. Winston Churchill, should not be tricked by the Japanese and must not repeat similar mistakes made previously. The British Empire has always placed above everything else the honour of the nation. Because Britain tolerates Japan's unreasonable demands, she loses the sympathy of the world and the friendly nations and also the honour of her nation.

**A BARKING DOG**  
"What gains can she get out of this? Furthermore, toleration not only cannot settle the issue, but will only increase the appetite of the aggressor. The Japanese Government may utter threats, the Japanese Press and militarists may talk about participation in the European War, but a barking dog never bites.

"If Japan really wants war with Britain, British toleration regarding the Burma issue will not prevent Japan from declaring war on Britain. If Japan does not want war with Britain, rejection of the Japanese demands will not cause Japan to wage war with Britain.

**ANXIETY TO AVOID WAR**  
"Japan's anxiety to avoid war with Britain should not be any less than Britain's anxiety to avoid war with Japan. If Japan wants to avoid war with Britain it is not on account of Japan's love for Britain, but because of her exhaustion as the result of the war with China. Therefore, if Britain wants to avoid war with Japan, her course is to give the necessary assistance to China.

"These are our views concerning the Burma Road issue. It must be realized these are not only reasonable but practical, and we are confident that after careful consideration the British Government and people will reach the same conclusions and adopt measures accordingly."

### NO OFFICIAL COMMENT

WASHINGTON, July 16 (Reuter)—No official comment is yet available on the speech made two days ago by the Acting Governor of Malaya, Mr. S. W. Jones, who stated that Britain is making efforts to end the Sino-Japanese war.

Informed Far Eastern circles, however, doubt that the Governor's remarks really represent what Britain is attempting to do. They find it difficult to reconcile Mr. Churchill's fighting speech on Sunday with the suggestions that China, who had been resisting manfully for three years, should make peace when Japan is obviously weakened, thus discarding all that had been sacrificed during these three years.

These quarters are asking when the Governor said "Britain is to make every sacrifice to gain victory over Germany" did he mean that China would be one of the sacrifices because Japan threatens to embarrass Britain in the Far East?

**BETTER TO HELP A FRIEND**  
Regarding the suggestion that a large scale settlement would not damage Chinese interest, it is asked if Britain can ensure the evacuation of Japanese from China. The answer is obviously in the negative, these circles add.

Finally they declare it is obviously better to assist a friendly Power to continue the fight against aggression than to return to the policy of appeasement towards the aggressors.

Many Americans are again commenting that Britain, in the Far East is "doing another Munich."

### BRITAIN'S TERM TO JAPAN

LONDON, July 16 (Reuter)—Under the terms of the negotiation between Great Britain and Japan concerning the Burma Road, Britain has agreed to close the road for thirty days on condition that Japan tries to negotiate an honourable peace with China. It was stated in London early this morning.

### Story Of 20 Damaged Dresses

#### THEY WERE QUITE FRIENDLY, THEN—

A claim for \$155, value of 20 dresses damaged, was brought by Leung Wai-lan, a married woman, against Li Chung-wing, before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams at the Summary Court yesterday.

The plaintiff was represented by Mr. W. M. Brown, while Mr. M. W. Lo appeared for the defence. The plaintiff, residing in a cubicle in No. 511, Nathan Road, was alleged to have been in intimate terms with the defendant, and the two each held a key to the room.

On May 17, the plaintiff left her room, and left her keys to the servant. During her absence, it was alleged, the defendant entered her cubicle and took away articles without her consent to the value of about \$800.

**FOUND DRESSES MISSING**  
On May 22, when plaintiff returned, she found the article missing and asked the defendant for their return. On the evening of the same day the defendant visited the plaintiff again and a quarrel ensued, during which the defendant was alleged to have assaulted the plaintiff. She ran out to the street to escape from further assault, and on returning found that some pieces of her clothing had been damaged. The matter was taken before the police court, and a settlement was reached. The articles which the defendant had taken from the room had been returned to the plaintiff following the issue of a writ against Li.

**INTIMACY ADMITTED**  
In evidence, plaintiff said that she knew the defendant for about

## Urban Council Meeting

### DR. RODRIGUES ASKS ABOUT REFUSE DISPOSAL

It was revealed at the fortnightly meeting of the Urban Council yesterday that Mr. Tang Shiu-kin, M. B. E., has been appointed member of the Urban Council for a further term of three years.

Dr. A. M. Rodrigues, pursuant to notice, asked the following question:—

1. Succinctly, what is the method for disposal of city refuse on the island?

2. Is it a fact that such refuse is now dumped at a depot on the waterfront in the vicinity of warehouses where edible staple commodities are handled in large quantities?

3. Is it true that at the depot the promiscuous refuse heap is sorted out by scavengers and certain portions reserved for sale while the remainder is transported for dumping outside harbour limits?

4. Will the Deputy Director of Health Services state whether the proximity of refuse heaps to cereals in bulk renders them liable to contamination by flies, or other carriers, prejudicial to Public Health?

5. If the answer to 4 is in the affirmative, is it in the opinion of the Director, advisable to recommend some other less objectionable form of refuse disposal?

6. Having regard to existing circumstances and local conditions will the Director recommend for adoption the best practical form of refuse disposals?

### INVESTIGATION REQUIRED

Mr. G. S. Kennedy-Skipiton, Chairman, stated that a certain amount of investigation is required and that a formal reply to Dr. Rodrigues would be given at the next meeting of the Council.

The following have been appointed to serve on the Select Committee to deal with applications under the Advertisement Regulation Ordinance No. 19 of 1912 as amended by Ordinance No. 16 of 1940:—

Mr. G. S. Kennedy-Skipiton (Chairman of the Urban Council), the Hon. Mr. H. J. Pearce (Director of Public Works), the Hon. Mr. W. J. Carle (Secretary for Chinese Affairs) and Mr. F. C. Hall.

Five applications, two for eating house licences, one for a restaurant, a food factory and a food shop, were refused. An application for permission to erect a neon sign on the top front parapet of Nos. 28 to 29 Connaught Road Central was referred to the Select Committee.

### LICENCES GRANTED

The following is the list of licences granted by the Council during the past fortnight:—

Food Factories 1, Food Preserving Establishments 2, Bake Houses 1, Milk Shops, 1, Swine 6, Eating Houses 1, Restaurants 2. Total 14.

### THOSE PRESENT

Present at the meeting were Mr. G. S. Kennedy-Skipiton (Chairman), Dr. N. C. MacLeod (Vice-Chairman), the Hon. Mr. H. J. Pearce (D. P. W.), the Hon. Mr. W. J. Carle (S. C. A.), the Hon. Mr. T. H. King (Commissioner of Police) and Messrs. F. C. Hall, L. C. Bellamy, M. C. A. & Arculli, Dr. S. N. Chau, Messrs. B. Wong Tape, Tang Shiu-kin, M. B. E., Dr. A. M. Rodrigues, Messrs. Li Tse-tung, C. J. Roe (Secretary) and Im Ping-tseung (Asst. Secretary).

Mr. Ralph Lowry, brother of the well-known New Zealand cricketer, Tom Lowry, arrived at Hongkong by Air on Monday. He is leaving today for San Francisco and will proceed to England.

a year. She told of the assault and the discovery of the 20 dresses damaged to the Court.

In cross-examination by Mr. Lo, Leung agreed that she had been on intimate terms with the defendant and denied that the defendant had given her any money. She said that she had supported the defendant.

Asked by Mr. Brown, plaintiff said that she had been giving money to the defendant for expenses and on one occasion she gave \$800 to Li and only \$400 of the sum had been repaid.

Hearing was adjourned to August 2 at 11.45 a.m.

## FOREIGN MAILS

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Canton	18th July
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Canton	18th July
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Japan	18th July
Formosa, Amoy and Swatow	18th July
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Shanghai	18th July
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Shanghai	18th July
Haiphong	18th July
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Shanghai	18th July
Haiphong	18th July
Japan	18th July
Japan and Manila	18th July
Manila	18th July
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Japan and Shanghai	18th July
Japan and Shanghai	18th July
Shanghai and Amoy	18th July
Japan, Shanghai and Formosa	18th July
Rabaul and Manila	18th July
Japan and Shanghai	18th July
Java and Manila	18th July
London and Straits	18th July
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